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[SOUTH AFRICA.]

THIRD DEFEAT IN A WEEK.

British Reported Beaten by Dewet.

Six Hundred of Them Slain at Merkatsfontein.

Nine Hundred With Wagons Taken Captive.

Boers Lost but Fourteen Dead and Wounded.

Lord Roberts in Difficulty Owing to Loss of Water—Victory Near Kroonstadt—Heavy Firing in Several Quarters.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

LONDON, April 11.—[By Atlantic Cable.] A dispatch to the Daily Mail from Brandfort, dated Sunday, says: "Yesterday Dewet inflicted the third defeat on the British within a week at Merkatsfontein, killing and wounding 600. He captured 900 with twelve wagons, losing five Boers killed and nine wounded."

PRETORIA'S VERSION.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

LONDON, April 11.—The Daily News has the following from Pretoria, dated Monday, by way of Delagoa Bay: "It is officially announced that a battle has been fought south of Brandfort, in which 600 British troops were killed and wounded and 800 taken prisoners. Lord Roberts is declared to be finding

LONDON, April 11.—The Daily News [illegible] to from Lorenzo Marquez, the Netherland Railway Company professes to have received a telegram reporting a Boer victory near Kroonstadt, the Boers capturing 900 British."

Commenting upon this, the Daily Mail remarks: "There is a Merkatsfontein about five and a half miles southeast of Kroonstadt, but if the report be true, this can hardly be the place."

HEAVY FIRING HEARD.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

LADYSMITH, April 9.—Heavy firing was heard this morning in the direction of Sunday's River. It continued for a few hours. No details of the engagement have been received.

HEAVY CANNONADING.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

PIETERMARITZBURG, April 10.—Heavy cannonading commenced this morning in the vicinity of Elands Laagte.

HOLD ON FREE STATE.

BOERS REGAIN LOST GROUND.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

BETHULIE (Orange Free State,) Monday, April 9.—[By South African Cable.] It is expected that the Boers will endeavor to retake and destroy the bridge over the Orange River. Consequently extraordinary precautions have been taken. A force of Boers is located 12 miles east.

As a matter of fact, the Boers practically again hold the Free State eastward of the railroad, and are greatly encouraged by their successes at Reddersburg and Korn Spruit.

DEWETDORP LOSSES.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

PRETORIA, April 9.—The British casualties in the fight at Dewetdorp were 100 killed and wounded, and 459 captured.

The Transvaal Volksraad has been summoned to meet in ordinary session May 10.

ARMED KAFFIRS.

SHELLED BY BOER CANNON.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

PRETORIA, (Saturday,) April 7.—[By South African Cable.] Advices from Mafeking say a band of armed Kaffirs left Mafeking through the burghers' lines during the night of April 5, and were followed and surrounded in the bush, where they were shelled by a Maxim-Nordenfeldt gun. The Boers then stormed the Kaffir position, killing thirty-one. The Kaffirs fought stubbornly. Skirmishes are reported at Biggarsberg and in the Free State, mostly between patrols.

PASSENGERS FOR TRANSVAAL.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

LORENZO MARQUEZ, April 10.—The French steamer Caravella, Capt. Labourbie, from Havre, February 25, has arrived here with 106 passengers, including the Chicago ambulance corps. A majority of the passengers will proceed by train to the Transvaal.

SITUATION CONFUSED.

THERE HAS BEEN FIGHTING.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, April 10.—[Exclusive Dispatch. Copyright, 1900, by the New York Tribune.] The Tribune's London cable, dated April 11, says that by the grace of the censor, the military situation is in confusion, but it is not an unintelligible maze. The British inaction in the Free State and Natal is not caused by an impasse like that resulting at Colenso, Modder River and

[illegible] Roberts and Buller will advance when the transports and equipment are in readiness, and they will operate simultaneously, and not be diverted from their goals by the attempts of Boer raiders to scatter their forces. This is the view of close observers in touch with the War Office, who assert that the British communications are not in danger, and that the offensive operations against the railway lines are not serious.

They add that Roberts will pay as little heed to raiders in the southern and eastern districts of the Free State as he did to the Dutch operations at Colesberg at the opening of his campaign, but will strike northward toward his own objective point, with the

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News Under to The Times This Morning

1. British Reported Beaten by Dewet. Fighting Resumed at Wepener. Canal Bill's Success is Assured. Worst of Texas Flood is Over.
2. Clark not Entitled to Senate Seat.
3. Marcus Daly's Day of Triumph.
4. Mine Owner Hull Lands in Jail.
5. Belle of Orleans Wins Tennessee Oaks.
6. Liners.
7. Home Study Circle. Justice Morgan Rebukes Mugnemi. Police Court Notes.
8. Editorial Page. Republican Clans Gathering.
9. All Along the Line. Events in Society.
10. The Public Service. Police Commissioner's Meeting. Lola A. Pratt's Grievances. Santa Barbara's Crack Polo Team.
11. Influx of Crooks. Rouce Failed to Provide.
12. Bryan at the Velodrome.
13. In the Oil Fields. Ministers in Journalism.
14. Financial and Commercial. Oranges in the East Yesterday. Stock Quotations.
15. Southern California by Towns. Personal Mention.
16. City in Brief. News and Business. Marriages and Deaths.

CLASSIFIED NEWS SYNOPSIS.

THE CITY. Enormous crowd hears Bryan....Mrs. Lola A. Pratt sues to recover her inheritance....Ptomy acquitted of rape charge....Mamma Marceau's visits to "Theo"..City lottery ordinance probably invalid....The "Silver Republican" farce....Flood's examination begun....Police bicycle corps' work....Republican clans gathering....Sotnieff arraigned....Citrus fruits go to Paris free....Eight indictments returned by Federal grand jury....Mining company wants its money back....Mugnemi rebuked. Police Commission undoes its good work....Policeman's star in danger. Schnabel's claim for damages denied. Macy-street saloon license not granted. March police business....In the oil fields....Crooks coming this way disguised as tramps.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. Los Angeles constable arrested in Pasadena....Fewer saloons possible at San Pedro....Prohibition talked of at Long Beach....Election count disputed at Anaheim....Prohibition victory at Redlands....Azusa election results....Monrovia's water bonds sold....Santa Ana water plant's work....Crowd hears Bryan at Pomona....Revenue cutter Manning at San Diego....Bryan at San Bernardino....Sherer murder trial at Riverside....Santa Barbara "gap" saloons closed on Sunday.

PACIFIC COAST. Mine Owner Hull in jail charged with perjury in connection with his divorce suit....Mrs. Hearst's museum project....Exciting session of Fair-Craven suit..Weather and crop conditions....Kreling mystery deepened....Southern Pacific earnings....Run on Pitcher's bank. Trouble over Mexican mine....Cutter Bear short of sailors....Steamers to Society Islands.

BRITISH-BOER WAR. British reported beaten by Dewet—Six hundred of them slain and 900 taken captive. Boers seek an opening around Bloemfontein....Burnham describes Dutch tactics....Guns smuggled into Transvaal....Queen delighted with Dublin reception....Roberts in difficulty owing to loss of water....Fighting resumed at Wepener.

WASHINGTON. House to pass a canal bill this session....Senate and House proceedings....Clark denied a Senate seat....Minister Conger's actions in China....Interest in naval improvements....More vessels wanted for Cuban surveys....Changes in the army. Americans peacemakers in Central America....Macrum's charges baseless. Agricultural statistics....Relief of river needs....Philippine matters before the Cabinet....Treasury estimates .... The Puerto Rican bill stands.

GENERAL EASTERN. Worst of Texas floods is past....Kentucky suspects arraigned....Marcus Daly's day of triumph .... Dewey not quitting. Labor leaders to agitate in the East. Strikers cause a bloody riot....Western stock growers meet....Methodist's discuss Sheldon....Cleveland's second talk.

FOREIGN—BY CABLE. Exhibits at Paris to open on Sunday....Gomez sails from Havana.

SPORTS. Tennessee Oaks won by Belle of Orleans in the mud....Bennings events .... No international athletic meet probable....Doings at Tanforan track....Wolcott wins again....Corrigan abandons trip to England.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL. Oranges in the East....New York shares and money....General eastern markets .... Local and San Francisco produce....Live stock at various points.

WORST OVER IN FLOOD DISTRICT.

Waters Receding in the Swollen Rivers.

Losses in Life and Property are Very Large.

Eight More Victims' Bodies Found by the Searchers.

Warnings Sent Out After the Dam Gave Way Saved Many Lives in the Lowlands—Much Cotton Destroyed by Water.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

SAN ANTONIO (Tex.,) April 10.—The waters are receding in the swollen rivers and streams of Texas, and it is believed the worst is over. The property damage by reason of the sudden rush or water will be very large, while many lives have been lost. It is learned tonight that eight people out of a traveling party of fifteen, composed of two families, were drowned at the junction of the Middle Concho River and the Kiowa Creek in Iron county. The names of the families are Queen and Wilson, and they were from Voca, McCullough county, Texas. Of the eleven members of the Queen family, seven were drowned, the father, mother and five children, among the latter being an eight-months-old babe. A boy of the Wilson family was also swept away. The bodies of the unfortunate victims of the flood were found after a search of thirty hours.

WARNINGS SAVED LIVES.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

AUSTIN (Tex.,) April 10.—The waters of the Colorado River are rapidly receding at this point, and while additional rises are reported from the north it is not believed they will be of sufficient volume to do further damage. Advices from every section of the [illegible] to tonight indicate [illegible] and Monday. [illegible] property loss has been great and the loss of life [illegible] opinion [illegible] of the list of drowned at Austin and some negro families in the bottoms to the south of the city, the fatalities have been few. One or two negroes are reported drowned in Fayette county.

Every section tributary to the river was warned of the coming of the flood, and this is why the loss of life was not greater. The waters having swept the counties of Travis, Bastrop, Fayette and Guadalupe and points north of here, are now washing farms in Wharton county, as the flood nears the Gulf. That section of the lowlands is under water, the river being some six or eight miles wide in places. The inhabitants were warned in time to remove their livestock and their valuables to higher ground.

MUCH COTTON DESTROYED.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

ROCKDALE (Tex.,) April 10.—Thousands of acres of corn and cotton have been destroyed in this county by the floods of the past few days. Lower Little River was four miles wide this morning and lacked only eight inches of being as high as in June last year. The engineering corps of the Santa Fé Railroad reports the rise as being one and a half feet higher than last year. San Gabriel River and Brussey Creek have been out over the lowlands, but are receding. The Brazos is expected to overflow tonight.

TRAINS WILL RUN TODAY.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, April 10.—"We running order by tomorrow," said J. expect to have our tracks in Texas in A. Fillmore, of the Southern Pacific today. The floods in Texas injured the Southern Pacific roadbed on the Atlantic system, and there have been several bad breaks on the line. The worst was near Sanderson. In consequence of these breaks the Sunset Limited, which should have reached this city forty-eight hours ago, arrived this morning. It had to be taken a roundabout way. The train went over the Houston and Texas Central and then over the Texas and Pacific to El Paso.

In consequence of the floods and the damage from them, the Sunset Limited, due here next Thursday and the one due to leave here next Friday have been canceled."

"GET-RICH-QUICK" FAKE.

MILLER'S DAILY HAULS WERE SOMETHING IMMENSE.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

NEW YORK, April 10.—More than fifty employés of William F. Miller's "get-rich-quick" syndicate testified against him in his trial today. Charles Schmidt, a young check writer, identified a telegram written by Miller November 16. Miller directed him to send copies of the telegram to each subscriber "collect." There were 10,000 names on the list, and Miller gave him $300 to pay the telegraph charges whenever the person addressed failed to pay. The telegram read as follows, and was sent out to 10,000 intended victims:

"We have inside information of a big deal which is to come off on Saturday or Monday. Big profits. Send on your investment at once."

The figures in Miller's books showed this entry for one day: "Guess work, $69,000.

Over $1000 a day was paid in commissions to persons bringing new subscribers.

Rudolph Guenther, an advertising agent, testified that Miller called at his office and personally arranged with him for the publication of the alluring advertisements of the Franklin Syndicate, in fifteen leading newspapers in New York, Boston, Philadelphia and other leading cities. These advertisements promised 10 per cent a week interest, and a sure thing. The point of the testimony was that it was Miller who put out these tricks and devices to catch trade. Guenther had Miller's advertisement in from six hundred to seven hundred newspapers at one time, and Miller paid him, from July 15 to November 25, $22,000 for advertising.

Employés of the syndicate testified that they never saw any collateral or securities or any evidence of business in the place. The highest day's receipts they knew of were $55,000 in cash and in checks. The advertisements all held out the pretense that Miller was a leading operator on 'Change.

Counsel for the defendants admitted that the amount of surplus belonging to depositors of the syndicate and now invested for their benefit and now due them is $1,156,078; in other words, Miller's lawyers admit that no matter how much interest he has paid to his depositors, there is $1,156,078 of their money that has never been paid.

The trial was adjourned until tomorrow, when the defense will open.

SILVER CITY FUGITIVES.

OVERTAKEN BY THE POSSE AND STILES KILLED.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

EL PASO (Tex.,) April 10.—A report form Lordsburg, N. M., today says that a sheriff's posse encountered the fugitive murderers, Burt Alvord, Bravo Johnson, and William Stiles, in the mountains southwest of that point late yesterday, and that Stiles was killed in a fight that followed. Alvord, Johnson and Stiles broke jail at Silver City a week ago, and afterward ambushed and murdered Officer George Scarborough and wounded officer Burchfield, who were in pursuit of them.

Today a strong posse left Deming, N. M., to guard the mountain passes to the east, and head off the fugitives should they start in that direction. Another posse, headed by Sheriff Blair of Grant county, started from San Simon today to act in concert with the Deming posse and endeavor to round up the murderers of Scarborough, as well as capture the men who recently escaped from the Tombstone, Ariz., jail.

ADDRESS TO CATTLEMEN.

INVITED TO MEET TO PERFECT ORGANIZATION.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

STRAWN (Tex.,) April 10.—An address has been issued by W. W. Johnson, secretary of the International Cattle Growers' Association, in which, addressing the cattle growers of North America, he says:

"Associated effort on the part of all the people engaged in a common pursuit is necessary to attain the best results and the cattle industry of North America, on which millions of people are dependent for food, should be fostered and protected by all possible means.

"The cattle growers of the United States, Canada, Cuba, Mexico and Central America are invited to meet in St. Louis this fall at a time and place to be designated at a later date for the purpose of perfecting organization of an association to promote and protect our large and growing industry."

STOCK GROWERS ORGANIZE.

ADDRESS FAVORING LEASING OF LANDS FOR GRAZING.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

DENVER, April 10.—The Western Range Stock Growers' Association, to include as members the various local associations, was organized today at the convention of the Colorado stock growers, who adopted resolutions yesterday in opposition to the leasing of the range to stock cattle companies and the cession of arid lands to the States. A committee consisting of one member from each county association in Colorado was appointed, and was instructed to convene within thirty days and elect officers for the new association and perfect the organization.

The convention listened to an address by Col. John P. Irish of California, who advocated leasing of public lands for grazing purposes, but opposed the cession of lands to the States. The convention then adjourned.

JIM HILL UPSET.

GREAT NORTHERN'S PRESIDENT HAS TRAIN DITCHED.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

BUTTE (Mont.,) April 10.—President J. J. Hill of the Great Northern, attended by a party of officials of his road, arrived in the city today after an exciting experience. Early this morning his special train was ditched on the Northern Pacific track in Silver Bow Cañon, about six miles west of Silver Bow Junction.

The engine and baggage car were overturned, and, although the members of the party were badly shaken up, none were injured. The Northern Pacific sent out a special train, which brought the railroad magnate and his friends to the city. Hill and his party went East this afternoon.

Livermore Bank Mystery.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 10.—The fullest examination of the books and accounts of the Bank of Livermore have failed to reveal the slightest suspicion of a shortage. Such was the official statement made at Livermore this evening by Secretary C. H. Dunsmoor of the Bank Commissioners. This development only tends to complicate the conditions surrounding the suicide of Henry H. Pitcher, the cashier and manager of the institution.

Chinaman Attempts Murder.

SACRAMENTO, April 10.—Shortly before 2 o'clock this afternoon in Chinatown, a Chinaman named Ah Lee attempted to murder another Chinaman named Law Ah Lee. The assassin fired three shots, one of which struck the victim in the hip, the other shattering the left elbow. The first shot went wild, and shattered the jaw of a Japanese named Takanashi. Ah Lee was arrested.

French Cruiser Protet in Port.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 10.—The French cruiser Protet, flagship of the Pacific and oriental squadron, arrived in port this morning after a run of twenty-eight hours from San Diego. As the cruiser passed up the bay to an anchorage off Folsom-street wharf she was saluted by the guns from the forts and war vessels, and the salute was returned.

Insane Merchant's Tragedy.

KINGSTON (N. Y.,) April 10.—J. Albert Merritt, aged 46, one of the most successful dry goods merchants in this city, in a fit of temporary insanity, today, shot his mother through the head and then shot himself.

[WASHINGTON.]

FUTURE CANAL ASSURED.

House Will Pass a Bill This Session.

Views of Congressmen Waters and Barham.

Hay-Pauncefote Treaty in the Senate's Way.

Vote on the Quay Case to Be Taken April Twenty-fourth—Free Vaccine and Free Seeds Knocked Out. Internal Revenue.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, April 10.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Although the passage of the Nicaragua Canal Bill at this session of Congress has seemed doubtful, final canal legislation may not be so very far away. Judge Barham of California, who is a member of the committee having the bill in charge in the House, said today that the House would pass the bill before the middle of May, but he does not believe the Senate will pass it till next session.

Representative Waters, who has made a thorough study of political conditions surrounding the canal bill, said he was confident the House will pass the bill this session; that the Senate is likely not to pass it because the Hay-Pauncefote treaty will remain before that body till the end of the session. Judge Barham's statement is as follows:

"It frequently is said in the newspapers of late that Mr. Hepburn, who has charge of the Nicaragua Canal Bill in the House, has no intention of pressing the bill for consideration, and that it is dead; and that it was simply a gold brick when I was made to believe the bill would be allowed to come up. Since the bill was reported from the committee, early in the session, I fully believed it would be considered by the House and passed this session. I assure the people of California that in my judgment Mr. Hepburn is in perfect good faith in advocating the bill, and that it will be considered and passed at this session. It was thought, and I shared in the belief, that it was not wise to press the bill in the House until it is seen what is done in the Senate with the Hay-Pauncefote treaty. That treaty has been indefinitely laid aside by the Senate. It is dead for this session. There will now be no further delay in consideration of the canal bill. No day has been set yet, but it will pass this session. I speak advisedly.

"My judgment is that the bill will not pass the Senate before adjournment, but Senator Morgan feels sure it will, and I may be in error about that. However, it can easily pass the Senate during the short session next year. I think the bill will be taken up in the House during the latter part of this month or the first part of May. My best judgment is that there will not be more than five or six votes in the House against the bill." Representative Waters takes this view of the case:

"Without doubt the Republican leaders will bring the canal bill before the House this session and it will pass with practically no opposition. I understand that course to be decided upon. What the bill's fate in the Senate will be is quite another matter. You see the Hay-Pauncefote treaty is still before that body. It came before the Senate in an official way. It recognizes the validity of the Clayton-Bulwer treaty, and it is still before the Senate in an official way. It will remain where it is, without doubt, until the end of this session. Now, is it possible for the Senate to go ahead and pass this canal bill with that treaty concerning it still unacted upon? I hardly think such a thing can be done. I believe something of the kind ought to be done, but the Senate does not generally proceed in that fashion.

"The State Department will hardly withdraw the Hay-Pauncefote treaty from the Senate before adjournment. After the Senate adjourns, I believe Secretary Hay will secure England's consent to modifications of that treaty. It may be that the Canadian-American High Joint Commission will meet during the summer, and some plan be arranged at that meeting whereby this treaty will be disposed of. At any rate, something is very likely to happen during the Congressional recess, affecting the standing of the treaty, but even if nothing happens, the Senate will come back here next December with no politics in the air to influence matters, and it can then proceed with the consideration of the treaty, get it out of the way quickly, and pass this bill, which will already have passed the House, and can be put through again in no time.

"So I conclude that the prospects for the canal are not dull, by any means. It is a gigantic undertaking, and it takes a long time to put such an immense enterprise through. I am willing to predict that before this Congress expires on March 4, 1901, canal legislation will have been completed."

SENATE AND HOUSE.

TIME TO VOTE ON QUAY.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, April 10.—Without objection from any source, the Senate today agreed to take a final vote on the right of the Hon. M. S. Quay to a seat as Senator from Pennsylvania, Tuesday, April 24, at 4 p.m. During the session today the Senate paid its tribute to the late Richard Parks

Bland, long a Representative from Missouri. The eulogies pronounced on the dead statesman were notable for their earnestness and eloquence.

The House devoted the day to the agricultural bill, passing it substantially as reported. An animated discussion arose over the series of amendments offered by Mr. Corliss of Michigan, restricting the distribution of free seeds and free vaccine. Mr. Corliss maintained that the government distribution invaded the field of private enterprise. His various amendments failed, however, after extended debate.

An amendment by Mr. Latimer of South Carolina was adopted increasing the supply of farmers' bulletins issued by the Agricultural Department, and distributed by members of Congress.

W. A. CLARK HAS NOT BEEN A SENATOR.

THE SEAT HE OCCUPIES NOT HIS BY RIGHT.

Senate Elections Committee Decides by a Unanimous Vote That the Montana Man Must Go—Some Members Try to Shield Him Personally, but Denounce Election Methods.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, April 10.—The Senate Committee on Privileges and Elections today decided by a unanimous vote to recommend the adoption of a resolution declaring that W. A. Clark of Montana is not entitled to occupy his seat as a Senator from Montana. The decision was reached after a two hours' sitting, at which all the members of the committee were present except one. The absentee was Senator Caffery of Louisiana, and he wired his vote in opposition to Clark. The ballot was not taken until all the members present had expressed themselves upon the question, some of them speaking at some length, and all expressing different views.

There were many expressions in the committee favorable to Senator Clark from a personal point of view, and more than one Senator gave utterance of doubts as to whether he had actual personal part in knowledge of the expenditure. Others expressed the opinion that the Senator was in a certain sense the victim of environment and of habit. The outlay of money in past elections in Montana was dwelt upon as one of the explanations of the liberal expenditures in this case.

Senator Turley was among the Senators who dissented from the view that Clark could have been uninformed that money was being used in his election, and he made one of the most vigorous talks of the series in favor of an adverse report.

Senator Harris of Kansas indicated the most pronounced leaning toward unseating Clark. He did not express any doubt that there had been a lavish expenditure of money in Clark's behalf, and while not condoning this course he spoke in terms of strong condemnation of the tactics pursued by some of his (Clark's) opponents, referring especially to Congressman Campbell and ex-Senator Whiteside. He said that whatever Clark's offenses, they were but little worse than the methods pursued by Campbell and Whiteside in their efforts to expose the Senator, and he insisted that if the report was to be antagonistic to Clark, it should at the same time relate in full detail the course pursued by the two principal witnesses against him.

Senator Pettus practically agreed with Mr. Harris. Two Senators also expressed some doubt as to the justification of the conclusion drawn by a majority of the committee that Clark's candidacy for the Senate began in August, 1898, when he returned to Butte from New York. The effect of this conclusion was to charge up the entire $139,000, which Clark confessed to having expended, to his campaign for the Senate, while the contention was made in Clark's behalf that he had not become a candidate until after the State election, thus eliminating from the campaign in his individual behalf the amount spent in the general contest. Senator McComas was among those who expressed himself as convinced that the Senatorial seat was in view from the beginning. He, however, united with other Senators in condemning the methods pursued in prosecuting the case.

The consensus of the opinion of the committee appeared unfavorable to accepting any one especial feature against Clark as the basis for the report against him, the general opinion being that it was the cumulative character of the testimony that should be considered, rather than one special detail.

Senator Harris raised the point in Clark's behalf that the cumulative effect of the testimony could not properly be considered, but he was overruled on his position. If prominence was given to any one line of testimony more than to another, it was that dealing with transactions apparently of a regular business nature between Clark or his agents and members of the Legislature. The purchase of property from Senator Warner and Representative McLaughlin and the money tendered Representative Wood to lift the mortgage from his ranch, were considered as bearing directly upon the case. Of these matters, the Wood case received especial attention. The payment of money to Representative Day, after Clark's election also had weight. The opinion was expressed that no one of these facts was sufficient basis for an adverse report, but all agreed that all facts, many of them admitted, together with other occurrences connected with the campaign, were sufficient to justify a positive position against Clark continuing to hold his place.

The fact that Clark and his representatives had failed to make their reports to the State authorities of Montana as required by the State law, also was urged against him in the discussion in the committee, as was the fact that he and his representatives had destroyed all their vouchers, showing where money had been used and to whom paid. When attention was called to the fact that this course was usual with campaign managers, the statement was met with the contention that while the plan might be more commonly adopted than it has been, still there could be no reasonable excuse for it, after the Whiteside exposure. It was then known that there would be a contest and the argument was made that every scrap of paper bearing upon the election should have been preserved after this development in the case. Senators Chandler and Turley were directed to prepare the report. It is expected to be presented at an early day.

Clark was at the Capitol when the announcement of the action of the committee was made known. He was surprised at the result, but refused to make a statement until after consultation with his friends and attorneys. He bore himself with his usual composure. His face appeared somewhat flushed, but his voice was calm and his manner collected, and he discussed other business affairs as if nothing had transpired. He was asked if there was any truth in the report that he had decided to resign, and he replied, as he did to all other questions bearing upon his case: "I cannot at present answer any questions bearing on the report of the Committee on Elections."

Senator Faulkner, counsel for Clark, was summoned to the Capitol immediately after the verdict of the committee was announced, and had a long conversation with his client over the situation.

SIGNIFICANT TELEGRAM.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

SALT LAKE (Utah.) April 10.—A special to the Tribune from Butte, Mont., says that C. W. Clark, son of Senator Clark, has received the following significant telegram:

"WASHINGTON, April 10.—To C. W. Clark, Butte: Report of committee will be adverse. Don't let this worry you. I will be vindicated either here or in Montana.

[Signed] "W. A. CLARK."

FIFTY-SIXTH CONGRESS.

REGULAR SESSION.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, April 10.—SENATE. Mr. Jones of Arkansas introduced and had adopted a resolution calling on the President, if not incompatible with the public interest, to transmit to the Senate a detailed statement of the expenses of the Commissioner-General of the Paris Exposition, and also to state the salaries of all employés of the commission. Mr. Jones stated that in the report already filed with the Senate the detailed items of salaries and expenses were not included, in accordance with the law. This, he declared, ought to be remedied, hence his resolution.

Mr. Chandler then asked unanimous consent that two weeks from today, on April 24, at 4 o'clock, a vote be taken on the resolution relative to the seating of Hon. M. S. Quay as a Senator from Pennsylvania.

Mr. Burrows expressed the hope that there would be no objection to the request.

Without opposition the request of Mr. Chandler was agreed to.

THE HAWAIIAN BILL.

WASHINGTON, April 10.—On motion of Mr. Cullom, the Senate non-concurred in the House amendments to the Hawaiian Civil Government Bill, and Senators Cullom, Lodge and Morgan were named as conferees.

After Mr. Hoar had addressed the Senate briefly on the Quay case, the Quay resolution was laid aside for the day, it being announced that Mr. Burrows would speak on the subject tomorrow.

A bill was passed providing for allotments of land in severalty to the Indians of La Pointe or Bad River reservation, Wis.

At 1 o'clock resolutions expressing the regret of the Senate at the death of the late Representative Richard Parks Bland of Missouri were called up by Mr. Cockrell of Missouri, and eulogies upon the deceased statesman were pronounced by Senators. In the executive gallery Mrs. Bland sat and listened to the brilliant eulogies on her illustrious husband. She was accompanied by several relatives and friends. The resolutions were adopted, and at 3:29 o'clock the Senate, as an additional mark of respect, adjourned.

HOUSE PROCEEDINGS.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, April 10.—HOUSE—Mr. Payne of New York, chairman of the Ways and Means Committee, referred back the Puerto Rican Tariff Bill from that committee with the recommendation that the Senate amendments be concurred in. It was ordered printed and placed on the calendar.

A Senate resolution was adopted which orders the printing of a special edition of the year book of Department of Agriculture for distribution at the Paris Exposition.

Mr. Hepburn, chairman of the Committee on Commerce, asked for a reprint of the Nicaragua Canal Bill.

Mr. Wheeler of Kentucky asked whether it was the intention to consider the canal bill at this session.

"I cannot answer that question," replied Mr. Hepburn, "It is my purpose to bring it up if I can."

"How about the gentleman's colleagues? There is no objection on this side."

"The gentleman knows as well as I," responded Mr. Hepburn, "that no individual can state whether a bill will be considered. But I will say that if I can effect it, it will be done."

RAILROAD INDEBTEDNESS.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, April 10.—Mr. Powers of Vermont called up the bill to create a commission to make a settlement with the Sioux City and Pacific Railroad of its indebtedness to the United States, which was considered but not disposed of, several weeks ago. Mr. Hepburn supported the bill, which, he argued, would bring about a satisfactory settlement with the road.

Mr. Shafroth of Colorado thought the bill should be amended so as to permit of competition in the settlement of the debt of the road. The road was not impecunious, he said. The last report of the Pacific Railroad Commission showed that it had earned 3½ per cent. net, on its entire indebtedness, including its debt to the government, principal and interest. There were four roads which would naturally compete for this road. He offered an amendment which was accepted, enlarging the powers of the commission so that it could receive propositions from any corporations, sell or assign the government lien or do any and all things necessary to secure the best settlement for the government.

Mr. Williams of Mississippi offered an amendment providing that the settlement reached by the commission should be referred to Congress for approval and acceptance. This amendment was defeated by 93 to 109, and the bill then passed.

The House then resumed the consideration of the Agricultural Appropriation Bill, the pending amendment being to increase the appropriation for farmers' bulletins from $55,000 to $105,000. This amendment was resisted by the Agricultural Committee, and a lively discussion ensued, but the amendment was agreed to.

Mr. Corliss of Michigan offered an amendment to the provision for the free distribution of seeds, providing that "dinner pails for the laboring people" be included in this distribution. He said this was done in good faith, as there was as much reason to give dinner pails to one class as to give seeds to another class. He asserted also that the seed trust disposed of large quantities of worthless seed to the government.

Mr. McRae of Arkansas opposed the amendment, declaring that it was due to the fact that Mr. Corliss had an exclusive seed concern in his district. The amendment was lost.

Mr. Corliss offered the amendment designed to prevent the free distribution of vaccine for the cattle disease known as "black leg." He said this placed the government in competition with private enterprises. After debate the amendment was defeated, and the bill was then passed.

At 4:15 o'clock the House adjourned.

DISTURBANCES IN CHINA.

CONGER NOT ACTING JOINTLY.

[A. P. EARLY A.M. REPORT.]

NEW YORK, April 10.—A special to the Herald from Washington says that mail advices received by the State Department from Edwin H. Conger, United States Minister at Peking, show that he has not been acting jointly with the representatives of other powers to compel the Chinese government to suppress the Boxers and other anti-foreign societies. He has been making vigorous representations to the Tsung Li Yamen in behalf of American missionaries, but so far as the authorities are informed, he has not threatened that the United States will land troops in China should the Boxers be allowed to continue their operations. Such a threat, if made, would certainly be disavowed by this government.

The authorities understand that the German government has made representations to the Tsung Li Yamen, and it would not be surprising if it should have declared its purpose to protect foreigners by force in China was it unable or unwilling to do so. The German government has announced its purpose to protect foreign missionaries in Shangtung province, and its troops at Kiao Chau are available for this purpose.

Whether because of the inability or the incompetency to cope with the situation, the Boxer movement seems to be progressing rather than decreasing, though the Tsung Li Yamen declares that it is doing everything in its power to preserve order throughout the empire. Supported by the gunboat Wheeling, which is at Taku, the authorities expect that Mr. Conger's representations will have more effect than would be the case were the gunboat not at that port. The Wheeling will remain at Taku until May 10, when she will be relieved by the Concord. She will then go to Yokohama, where Commander W. T. Burwell will relinquish command of the vessel to Commander A. E. Conden. The Wheeling will then proceed to Unalaska.

NAVAL IMPROVEMENTS.

BILL TO PURCHASE THORITE.

[A. P. EARLY A.M. REPORT.]

NEW YORK, April 10.—A special to the Herald from Washington says much attention is being paid by both the War and Navy departments to the question of high explosives for use in both the military and naval service.

The War Department, it is understood, has received a proposition from the inventor of thorite announcing his willingness to sell to the government the right to manufacture the explosive for $150,000. Senator Proctor has introduced a bill in the Senate appropriating $5000 for the purchase of the right. The Ordnance Bureau is opposed to the purchase, however, on the ground that a superior explosive may be obtained.

Arrangements have been practically perfected by the Navy Department for the purchase of the submarine boat Holland. The company will deposit $90,000 in a bank in Washington as a guarantee that it will complete the Plunger, and that she will meet the requirements of the contract under which she was laid down. This sum has been paid to the company on account of the work thus far done on the Plunger.

CUBAN HARBOR SURVEY.

MORE SMALL VESSELS WANTED.

[A. P. EARLY A.M. REPORT.]

NEW YORK, April 10.—A special to the Tribune from Washington says that Secretary Root has requested the Navy Department to detail several more small vessels of the Eagle type to survey Cuban harbors. The request is made at the suggestion of the Governor-General of Cuba, Maj.-Gen. Leonard Wood, who is preparing for a topographical survey of the whole island, with a local organization which will become a permanent department of the local government when that is established.

The navy already has the Yankton and the Eagle at work on Cuban harbors, and as soon as the Vixen finishes a survey at San Juan, San Blas Bay, Colombia, she will be sent to assist them. The new chart of Guantanamo Bay, which was a naval rendezvous in the war with Spain, which has just been completed, shows that it is one of the finest harbors in the entire West Indies, although the Spaniards regarded it as of little value through their ignorance of its splendid channels. Their charts of the place were worthless, showing shoals and swamps where there was water at all times for the deepest ships afloat. As a result of the navy survey, Guantanamo will in all probability become the chief commercial port in the eastern half of Cuba, as well as the United States rendezvous.

Gen. Wood, in his letter to the War Department, says all the Spanish charts are exceedingly defective and untrustworthy. He sees a distinct military advantage in having the armed naval survey vessels visit the less frequented ports of the Cuban coast, where, in addition to their soundings and triangulation, their presence has a remarkable effect on the people.

CHANGES IN THE ARMY.

LUDLOW RETURNS MAY FIRST.

[A. P. EARLY A.M. REPORT.]

NEW YORK, April 10.—A special to the Herald from Washington says that formal orders will be issued by Secretary Root Tuesday directing the detachment of Brig.-Gen. Ludlow from the command of the city of Havana and assigning Brig.-Gen. Lee to command the new department of Havana and Pinar del Rio.

These changes will occur May 1. Gen. Ludlow will receive instructions to report to the Secretary of War for duty as president of the Army War College Board. Gen. Lee and Gen. Wilson will remain in Cuba until after the municipal elections, which will determine whether the military force in the island can be further reduced.

Maj.-Gen. Wesley Merritt will be detached from the command of the Department of the East, June 16, when he reaches the retiring age. Immediately upon his detachment Gen. Brooke will receive orders directing him to succeed Gen. Merritt. Friends of Gen. Brooke are very much concerned at the possibility that Gen. Otis may be assigned to the command of the Department of the East.

FIRE IN FORESTS.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, April 10.—Senator Bard, from the Committee on Public Lands, today reported favorably the bill which recently passed the House, making it a misdemeanor to set fire to forests on the public domain and forest reserves.

AMERICANS PEACEMAKERS.

NICARAGUAN MILITARY MOVE.

[A. P. EARLY A.M. REPORT.]

NEW YORK, April 10.—A special to the Herald from Washington says that a Nicaraguan military expedition is reported to have landed at Chiriqui, Colombia, and the cruiser Detroit has left Port Limon, Costa Rica, for that point. Acting Secretary of the Navy Allen said last night that he did not know that there was any connection between the two events, but it is believed the Detroit has gone to Chiriqui to observe the conduct of the Nicaraguan expeditions.

The American Minister at Costa Rica and Nicaragua and the commanders of the Philadelphia and Detroit are acting under instructions to preserve the peace of Central America by every proper means. Chiriqui is not far from the southern boundary of Costa Rica. It has been believed by the authorities that the tension between Nicaragua and Costa Rica was very much reduced as a result of the good offices of Minister Merry, and the San José government, apparently thinking there was no further danger of hostilities began to discharge the troops hastily levied, and to reduce the guard established along its northern frontier.

Information received here is that the Nicaraguan expedition was carried to Chiriqui by the Nicaraguan transport Momotombo, so that the movement is regarded as a government one for which Nicaragua cannot avoid responsibility. In some quarters it has been looked upon as a filibustering expedition, intending to aid the revolutionists in Colombia, against the Bogota government. It was pointed out, however, that the seat of the revolution in Colombia is in the State of Panama, and not in Chiriqui.

There is reason to believe Costa Rica was advised of the dispatch of the Nicaraguan expedition, and the information may have been given to Commander Duncan Kennedy of the Detroit by the Costa Rican authorities. If Colombia permitted the landing of the expedition and allowed the Nicaraguans to use its territory as a base of operations against Costa Rica, the latter country will have good ground for damages against the Bogota government.

Having been informed of the landing of the expedition at Chiriqui, it is presumed that Costa Rica has taken measures to defend herself from attack. It is not believed that Commander Kennedy will forcibly interfere with the Nicaraguan expedition, but he may use his good offices to prevent it from carrying out any hostile design.

NICARAGUAN REBELS LAND.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, April 10.—It would not surprise officials here if the recent action of Nicaraguan filibusterers in landing on the isthmus should result in involving at least three of the Central American republics in difficulties. Reports received here have indicated that trouble was brewing in Colombia for some time past, and there have been frequent rumors of the intention of Nicaraguans to attack Costa Rica.

It appears that the Nicaraguans have now actually made a landing, though it is not clear whether their movement is directed against Nicaragua or Costa Rica. The point where the party landed is on the Pacific side of the isthmus, and the party made its way to a place named David, near the boundary line between Costa Rica and Colombia, but within the lines of the tract of territory claimed by both nations.

The government of Colombia has taken steps to send a force against the filibusters, assuming that they are on Colombian soil, and it is possible that the government of Costa Rica will do likewise. In that case, there may be complications. Meanwhile the cruiser Detroit has gone into the Gulf of Chiriqui on the Gulf side, the nearest point of access to David, to safeguard American interests.

MACRUM'S CHARGES BASELESS.

CONSUL HAY SEARCHES RECORDS

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, April 10.—United States Consul Hay at Pretoria has responded to the inquiry addressed to him by the department respecting ex-Consul Macrum's charge that the official mail of the consulate was tampered with. Mr. Hay reports that after a careful search he has failed to find in the files of the consulate the slightest evidence to support the statement. The Consul further reports that there is absolutely no interference so far as he has been able to ascertain with any of the official communications, either telegraphic or mail, which pass between the Department of State and the consulate.

AGRICULTURAL NOTES.

STATISTICIAN'S MONTHLY REPORT

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, April 10.—The April report of the statistician of the Department of Agriculture will show the average condition of winter wheat April 1 to have been 82.1, against 77.9 April 1, 1899; 86.7 April 1, 1898, and a ten-year average of 82.5.

While the ravages of the Hessian fly in Ohio, Michigan and Indiana will probably result in not one of these three States producing more than a half crop, an exceptionally high condition is reported from the winter wheat States west of the Mississippi River and from the Pacific Coast.

The principal averages are: Pennsylvania, 72; Ohio, 47; Michigan, 57; Indiana, 51; Illinois, 88; Missouri, 91; Kansas, 99; Texas, 101; Oklahoma, 99; Washington, 106; Oregon 100, and California, 90.

URGENT RIVER NEEDS.

APPROPRIATION RECOMMENDED.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, April 10.—The River and Harbor Committee determined on several questions of general policy today regarding emergency work that requires early attention. It was decided to recommend an emergency appropriation not exceeding $500,000, to be expended by the Chief of Engineers, Gen. Wilson, for the channels of navigable streams which have been choked with rock, proving a menace to river traffic, as in the case of the Shrewsbury River near Long Branch.

The committee also considered the advisability of recommending amounts for not exceeding three places where the needs are exceptional, and even critical, viz., the south pass of the Mississippi, the connecting waters between Lakes Huron and Superior, and the Columbia River of Oregon.

The south pass emergency work could be carried on for about $150,000, and would not involve the whole project. The work on the lakes contemplated a new channel by way of Lake St. George, to relieve the congestion on the present Sault Ste. Marie channel.

Senator McBride of Oregon, who was before the committee with a number of telegrams, stated the level of the Columbia had been lowered from thirty to twenty-four feet, and urged an emergency appropriation. The committee is considering these latter items, and probably will allow them because of the pressing needs involved. The committee does not propose, however, that this shall open the door to any work outside these three emergency items.

PHILIPPINE MATTERS.

COME BEFORE THE CABINET.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, April 10.—Nothing of importance developed at today's Cabinet meeting. Secretary Root explained some features of the pending Army Appropriation Bill, and also the terms of enlistment of the troops now in the Philippines. It was stated that Gen. Otis probably would leave Manila via Suez, and sometime before the arrival there of the new Philippine Commission.

The reports from the Philippines during the last week or two, it was said, had greatly magnified the opposition that had been met with by our troops there. The official reports, it was said, did not warrant the statement that the insurgents were becoming very active, and were massing in various parts of Luzon to an extent which greatly concerned our generals. The situation, it was said, did not warrant the sending of more troops to the Island, for the present, at least.

TREASURY ESTIMATES.

FIGURES FOR THE HOUSE.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, April 10.—The Secretary of the Treasury today sent to Congress his reply to the House resolution of April 2, as follows:

"To the Speaker of the House of Representatives: Sir—I am in receipt of the House of Representatives resolution of April 2, 1900, as follows:

"'Resolved, that the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he hereby is, requested to inform the House of Representatives whether, in his opinion, based on such knowledge as he has, the present laws for the raising of revenue are creating and will continue to create a surplus in the treasury over and above the wants of the government, and if so, to what extent at the end of the current fiscal year, and a like report as to the fiscal year ending June 30, 1901; that he also report to the House of Representatives his estimates of the probable receipts of the treasury from all sources of revenue for three years, to wit: Customs, internal revenue, and miscellaneous sources.

"'Resolved, that he also report to the House of Representatives the amount of internal revenue taxes received under an act entitled 'An act to provide ways and means to meet war expenditures and for other purposes,' approved June 12, 1898, upon articles not heretofore taxed, and that said statement be itemized as far as possible for the year ending June 30, 1899, and for the nine months ending March 31, 1900.'

"In reply thereto, I have the honor to submit the following:

"Fiscal year ending June 30, 1900: Receipts—Custom, $223,000,000; internal revenue, $292,000,000: miscellaneous, $35,000,000; total, $560,000,000. Expenditures—Civil, $104,000,000; war, $135,000,000; navy, $55,000,000; Indians, $11,000,000; pensions, $145,000,000; interest, $42,000,000; total, $490,000,000; estimated surplus, $70,000,000.

"Fiscal year ending June 30, 1901: Receipts—Custom, $240,000,000; internal revenue, $300,000,000; miscellaneous, $37,000,000; total, $577,000,000. Expenditures—Civil, $115,000,000; war, $125,000,000; navy, $60,000,000; Indians, $10,000,000; pensions, $145,000,000; interest, $40,000,000; total, $495,000,000; estimated surplus, $82,000,000.

"Internal taxes received under War Revenue Act of June 13, 1898, upon articles not theretofore taxed, fiscal year 1899, and first nine months of fiscal year 1900. Articles:

"Fiscal year 1899—Schedule A, $38,618,081.20; Schedule B, $5,129,737.46; legacies, $1,235,435.25; excise tax, $643,446.41; mixed flour, $7,840.62; total $79,055,249.

"First nine months fiscal year 1900—Schedule A, $27,429,621.66; Schedule B, $3,402,800.05; legacies, $1,660,871.54; excise tax, $820,101.28; mixed flour, $6,341.13; total, $33,330,708.68.

"Respectfully,

[Signed] "L. J. GAGE, Secretary."

WITHOUT AMENDMENT.

PUERTO RICO BILL STANDS.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, April 10.—At a special meeting of the Ways and Means Committee today, it was decided by a vote of 8 to 5 to report the Puerto Rico bill as it passed the Senate, without amendment, and to move a concurrence in the Senate amendments. This means the acceptance of the Territorial form of government for Puerto Rico as added to the bill by the Senate and other lesser changes on the tariff and other features.

The vote on concurring in the Senate bill was on party lines, with the exception of Mr. McCall of Massachusetts, the Republican member of the committee, who first dissented from the bill. The vote was as follows: Yeas: Payne, Dalzell, Hopkins, Grosvenor, Russell, Dolliver, Steele and Long, Republicans—8. Nays: McCall (Republican,) Richardson, Swanson, McClellan and Underwood, Democrats—5.

The vote was not preceded by any extended discussion, Mr. Grosvenor promptly making the motion to concur and report.

It was made known during the meeting that the bill would be taken up tomorrow, and a strong intimation was given that the plan contemplated was to allow each side two hours.

A meeting of the Rules Committee has been called for 11 o'clock tomorrow morning, when the question of a special rule fixing the time and duration of debate will be determined. If two hours on each side is allowed, the vote will come late in the day, if at all tomorrow, as considerable time will be spent in passing the special rule.

As to the final result of the vote, there continues to be much doubt and not a little anxiety on the Republican side, owing to the extremely narrow margin between the two sides.

Representative Loud, the Republican "whip," said: "There is too much doubt to venture a prediction. The situation is summed up thus: The Republican majority in the House is nineteen; there are eight Republicans against the bill; that leaves a majority of only three; it is a narrow margin."

Representative Underwood, the Democratic "whip," said: "We will have every man present except two, sick abed. There will be no Democratic votes for the bill. This will make the vote very close, and we hope to prevent concurrence."

MORE BOUNTY WANTED.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, April 10.—Argument was being made in the United States Supreme Court today in the case of Admiral Dewey and his men. The case grows out of their claims for bounty, due for the destruction of the Spanish fleet at Manila, and comes to the Supreme Court on appeal from the decision of the Court of Claims. The court awarded the men $100 each, and the admiral $9570. They claim double that amount in all cases, on the ground that the enemy's force was superior to the American fleet.

Contract for U. P. Cut-off.

CHEYENNE (Wyo.,) April 10.—It is definitely known that McArthur Bros. of Chicago and Kilpatrick Bros. & Collins of Lincoln, get the contract for building the Union Pacific cut-off from Buford to Laramie, a 1500-foot tunnel through the crest of Sherman Hill, and a rock causeway over Dale Creek. The work will require a large force of men two years' time to complete it, and will necessitate the expenditure of about $2,500,000. It is announced that operations will be commenced about May 1.

Hackett Escapes the Jail.

LODI, April 10.—Rather than go to jail, Samuel W. Hackett, a well-known citizen of Acampo, took poison in the Lodi jail, shortly after noon today, and died in a few minutes. He had created a disturbance at the home of his brother-in-law, and on being arrested, gave bail. Later he was surrendered by his bondsmen, as he attempted to repeat the offense. A constable started to take Hackett to Stockton, and he took sixty grains of strychnine. He leaves a widow and six children.

Levy Mayer's Huge Fee.

CHICAGO, April 10.—The directors of the Republic Construction Company today voted a fee of $500,000 to Levy Mayer for his work in selling the Ogden Gas Company to the People's Gas Light and Coke Company, which will be capitalized at $10,000,000.

Kreling not Murdered.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 10.—Today's developments in the Kreling case have suggested that Kreling, the old man whose body was found near Berkeley shore, was not murdered, but met his death either as the result of accident or design.

Another French Espionage Case.

PARIS, April 11.—Le Petit Parisian says today: "Another espionage case has arisen which is surrounded by deep mystery. On Sunday the police arrested M. Leon Gaget, who is charged with having relations with Germany."

Hearst Hall a "Gym."

BERKELEY, April 10.—Plans have been completed for the conversion of Hearst Hall into the very best gymnasium for women in the United States.

A petition in bankruptcy has been filed By Walter S. Besse of the ship brokerage firm of Sherwood & Besse of New York. liabilities, $260,737; assets, $37,500.

SUPERB ROUTES OF TRAVEL—

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The Santa Fe will sell excursion tickets April 14-15-16-17-18-19-20-21, good returning until April 23, $2.35 round trip, with privilege of going one way, returning another. Trains leave 8:30 a.m., 10 a.m., 10:10 a.m., 5:05 p.m.

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[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

NEW YORK, April 10.—A special to the World from Galveston, Texas, says: "Quietly, and without even the knowledge of the defendant, a decree was granted in the Tenth District Court to Charles N. F. Armstrong, better known as Melba. Armstrong is a son of Andrew Armstrong, Bart., and Lady Frances Fullerton Armstrong, Kings County, Ireland. The suit for a divorce was filed on March 6, 1899. It being impossible to serve on Melba, citation was by publication.

"From the papers in the case it is shown that Mr. Armstrong states that he had been a resident of Texas since 1895; that he was married to Melba Armstrong in Australia in the year 1882; that they have one child, now 16 years of age, and that they lived together as husband and wife until 1894, when the defendant, without cause, left his bed and board, declaring that she would not live with him any more.

"Judge William H. Stewart, in dissolving the marriage, gives the sole custody and control of the child to the father and decrees the return of personal property known as the Vista ranch, Kearns county, Texas, to the sole and separate property of the plaintiff."

SPARKS FROM THE WIRES

Night Dispatches Condensed.

Cuthbert Jones has filed in the United States Legation at Lima a claim against the Peruvian government for 5,000,000 soles. The claim grows out of a refusal of a concession founded upon the expropriation law.

A cablegram from Accra, Gold Colony, West Africa, announces that Frederick Mitchell Hodgson, governor of the colony, sends a dispatch to Secretary Chamberlain, announcing that he has effected a peaceful settlement of the difficulty between the British and the Kumassie tribesmen. Kumassie has ceded.

An attempt was made to wreck the International and Great Northern passenger train near Taylor, Texas, but a freight train was ditched instead. Fireman Lyons was killed, Engineer Ackerman and Brakeman Hall had a leg broken. The tramps escaped the wreckers.

That negotiations are pending for a combination of the gigantic interests of Frick interests, and the Carnegie building concern is denied by officials of the latter company. Even if it is said yesterday: "There is no foundation of truth in it."

At Petersburg, Va., the Continental tobacco factory of W. Gail & Ax Co., containing over one million pounds of fine tobacco, purchased by the Austrian government, and its contents, destroyed by fire last night. hTe loss is estimated at $100,000.

Last evening a cablegram was received at Ottawa, Ont., from Lord Strathcona asking that 1000 more officers and men be sent to South Africa to fill any vacancies that may be caused to the Strathcona horse through casualties.

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...longs: True Blue, 111 (Ross,) ...to 1, won; St. Casimir, 106 (Henry,) ...to 1, Ella Boland, 94 (Ray,) ...third; time 1:00. Theory, Alas, ...ask, Pidalla, Bona and John ...ns.

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...ee eighth: Rosinante 103 ...) 2 to 1, won; Fiamora, 89 ...6 to 1, second; Chimura, 99 ...4 to 1, third; time 1:54¾. ...ert also ran.

...Broker, 98 (Fauntleroy,) 5 to 1, ...Golden Plate, 105 (Henry,) 5 to ...Be Happy, 105 (Bozeman,) 7 ...rd; time 1:43¾. Fille D'Or, ...Defiance, Los Prietos, Muscu... ...Reginald Hughes, March ...Grebly also ran.

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[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

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...ARD IS TO BLAME.

[EARLY A.M. REPORT.]

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...known that Oxford and ...recently sent word to Yale ...d that they would be will... ...a team to this country ...ril or in September. The ...been waiting for months ...d Harvard to send them a ...All this while Yale and ...ve been fighting over a ...d games. Harvard has re... ...to hold the game on ...nds. Yale has refused to ...agree to hold the games on any but neutral grounds. The Englishmen sent word that they would not meet Yale and Harvard on any but neutral grounds. Harvard's position has, therefore, made it impossible to arrange the meeting.

CORRIGAN TO STAY HOME.

ABANDONS TRIP TO ENGLAND.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, April 10.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Ed Corrigan will not go to England at all. He has made no plans for his trip more than in a general way. He has not yet secured stable accommodations across the water, and he has made no particular efforts to do so. Corrigan, at the close of the racing at Tanforan, will ship his horses to Chicago and the racing situation here will determine whether or not the Master of Hawthorne will journey further eastward.

Corrigan has no horses entered in any of the Chicago stakes, but he could compete for purses wherever he would be permitted to enter. It is not thought that Washington Park will have any objections against his racing there, and he will without doubt be permitted to race at Hawthorne, as was the case last year. He will not find room for his thoroughbreds either at Lakeside or at Harlem.

The reason for Corrigan's hesitation to making the long trip is that he has partly come to realize that after all his horses are not likely to cut much figure on the English turf. He has Geyser and Golden Rule, but neither would probably be able to do much after such a long voyage.

"KID M'COY'S" CHOICE.

PICKS CORBETT FOR WINNER.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, April 10.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] "Kid McCoy" is desirous of becoming a heavyweight champion, and today signified his intention of challenging the winner of the Corbett-Jeffries fight. McCoy says he will post $1000 either today or tomorrow to shiw that he means business. In talking over the coming encounter between Jeffries and Corbett, McCoy said: "I pick Corbett to win. He is very shifty; is clever, and can hit harder than some people give him credit for. I am not in the least bit prejudiced and simply speak from a knowledge of the respective merits of both men."

McCoy is doing work dally for his matches with Creedon, Bonner and Sharkey. He has engaged Dan Hickey as sparring partner.

Ortega Weighed Too Much.

SAN JOSE, April 10.—The fight between Frank McConnell and Jack Ortega did not come off at the pavilion tonight, as announced, as Ortega was eight pounds over weight. A match was then arranged between Ortega and Burt S. Woods of Santa Cruz, who is in training for a fight with Tracy. Twenty lively rounds were fought, and it was declared a draw.

At Bennings Track.

WASHINGTON, April 10.—Results at Bennings:

Six furlongs: Sidney Lucas won, First Whip second, Rough Rider third; time, 1:16.

Half mile: Anecdote won, Infallible second, Screech third; time, 50½.

Handicap, two and a half miles: Black Jimmy won, St. Samuel second, Baby Bill third; time, 5:23 2-5.

Seven furlongs: Hold Up won, Sir Fitzhugh second, Mouseltof third; time, 1:31.

Mile and a sixteenth: Tony Honig won, Jefferson second, Double Dummy third; time, 1:51.

WHAT BURNHAM SAW.

WHILE CAPTIVE AMONG BOERS.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

LONDON, April 11.—[By Atlantic Cable.] A dispatch to the Morning Post from Bloemfontein, dated April 9, gives a description by F. R. Burnham, the American scout with Gen. Roberts, of the Boer trek from Koornspruit. Mr. Burnham says:

"Owing to a report that the British had occupied Brandfort and were moving to Winberg, the course of the convoy was altered, and the Boers pushed forward with increased speed toward Winberg. They expected cavalry pursuit every hour, and the convoy was protected with the greatest care and subtlety, the road being taken between kopjes held and evacuated in succession by rear guards. The trek proceeded throughout Sunday, and Monday morning the convoy was ten miles from Winberg."

Mr. Burnham, explaining the Boer method of obaining the range for rifle fire, says: "One man fired successive shots, and watched the dust raised by the bullets, until accuracy was obtained, and he then communicated the range to his comrades."

Mr. Burnham also mentions the way which work entrusted to men with tired horses was immediately taken up by others with fresh animals if occasion offered, the newcomers being given instructions and the range of the men whose places they took.

He was also struck by the "extraordinary fullness of the instructions given by the commanders to the men before any movement was begun." These included information as to the route to be followed, the intention of the movement and the different rendezvous in case of victory or defeat. Another thing that impressed him greatly was the total "absence of leading," in some instances every man having received instructions and carrying them out independently and as speedily as possible.

SMUGGLED GUNS.

TAKEN INTO FREE STATE.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

LONDON, April 11.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The correspondent of the Times at Lorenzo Marquez, telegraphing Monday, says:

"Trustworthy refugees assert that the Boers recently obtained at least thirty pieces of artillery, some of large caliber, which were brought overland as machinery from a West African port. Eight of these guns were dispatched to the Free State a week ago. The Boer officials openly boast that they have succeeded in smuggling ammunition through Portuguese territory.

"In the course of the Dempsey trial, State Engineer Munnik admitted under pressure that, acting under instructions from State Secretary Reitz of the Transvaal, he had bored holes in twenty-five mines."

PRISONERS ON LAND.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

CAPE TOWN, April 10.—The remainder of the Boer prisoners that were on board the transport off Simonstown, about two thousand, have been forwarded to the mainlain.

Rudyard Kipling and Sir John Henry De Villiers, Chief Justice of Cape Colony, will sail for England tomorrow.

PLUMER NEARING MAFEKING.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

LONDON, April 11.—The Daily Mail has the following from Lady Sarah Wilson, dated Mafeking, March 30:

"Col. Plumer's column is now within twenty miles of us, but its advent is undesirable unless accompanied by food supplies.

"The opinion prevails here that young Cronje has returned to the ranks of the investing Boers and is trying to avenge Paardeberg."

THIRD DEFEAT.

(CONTINUED FROM FIRST PAGE.)

certainty that the field south of Bloemfontein will be cleared by his own advance. They also affirm that some fresh surprise will be planned by which Warren's division will be brought into the Free State over the mountains in coöperation with French's cavalry brigades, but neglect to give practical evidence in support of their conjectures.

The press dispatches make it clear that there has been fighting for two days at Wepener, where Brabant, with the colonial forces, has been attacked by three Boer commandoes with several guns. The result of Monday's artillery practice was favorable to the colonial troops, but yesterday's attack was more severe and determined. Brabant's forces are reported to be well supplied with provisions and ammunition, and in occupation of a strong position. The Basutos are greatly excited by Boer operations on the edge of their territory, and it is most difficult for the British agent to hold them under restraint.

The nearest point garrisoned by the British troops is Aliwal North, but Wepener is apparently isolated and completely surrounded by Boers. There is no confirmation of the report that a large Boer force is marching toward Springfontein, and there is no proof that railway or telegraphic communication has been broken south of Bloemfontein. Rundle's advance guard of the Eighth Division are now reported to be heading for Springfontein, instead of Kimberley. If this be true, Mafeking will be compelled to shift for itself until Roberts compels the concentration of the Boer forces by the invasion of the Transvaal, although the latest dispatches show that the garrison is convinced that a relief column is on the way from Kimberley.

Portions of the Free State through which Clements recently marched are showing signs of uneasiness and revolt, but the alarmists are not justified in their assertions that Roberts's army is in danger of being cut off from the base of supplies. The inventions with which the papers are filled are based upon absurd exaggerations of the strength of the Boer raiders. Heavy cannonading is reported from Elands Laagte, and Sunday River, but there is no decisive news from Natal.

A Boer peace commission has arrived in Europe, where it will be coolly received in every continental capital. Whatever the popular sympathy, for the Dutch cause, no European government is prepared to declare war on Great Britain, nor to undertake to dispatch an army of several hundred thousand men to South Africa. Those are the only conditions under which intervention would serve any practical purposes, after the explicit warnings given by the British government. It is expected in diplomatic circles that Fischer, Wollmarans and Wessels will make a short stay on the continent and will cross the Atlantic in the hope of drawing the Americans, with the help of politicians, into some kind of an ambuscade.

EARLY BIRD GOES FORTH FOR THE WORM.

FIGHTING RESUMED AT WEPENER AT DAWN YESTERDAY.

Two Thousand Boers Marching Toward Springfontein from Smithfield—Mysterious Movements Proceeding at Bloemfontein—British Compared With Spaniards in Cuba. Buller Gets a Pass.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

LONDON, April 10.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The Boer attack on Gen. Brabant's force at Wepener was resumed at dawn today. The enemy's attack on two or three sides, on Monday, lasted until 2:30 o'clock in the after, noon, when the firing ceased, and it was believed that the enemy had been beaten off, but it was announced this morning from Aliwal North that fighting had again begun.

Gen. Brabant's force, numbering from two to three thousand, holds positions in a rough country. It is not known what the numerical strength of the Boers is, but whatever it may be, it is being rapidly augmented.

A body of 2000 Boers is marching toward Springfontein from Smithfield, between Wepener and Springfontein. The detonation of heavy guns was heard at Maseru Monday. Sir Godfrey Lagden, the British resident commissioner of Basutoland, has left Maseru for the border.

The events in the southeast portion of the Free State have caused the Eighth Division, which had been ordered to Fourteen Streams, to be diverted to Springfontein.

Mysterious movements of troops at Bloemfontein are proceeding. The newspaper correspondents are not allowed to telegraph their destinations, and the presumption is that Lord Roberts is making disposition to cut off the raiding Boer forces when they try to withdraw northward from the pursuing British columns.

The reappearance of the Boers in the occupied country has caused a revival of the warlike feeling among the Free Staters of the Fauresmith and Philippolis districts. The Federal agents are busy getting details of the surrendered Boers, and, owing to the British garrisons being withdrawn from these districts the British residents are uneasy, and are sending delegates to Springfontein to ask for help. They were told that steps for their defense would be immediately taken.

The Boers are reported to have ventured south of the Biggarsberg, and to be posting heavy guns four miles north of Elands Laagte. They are also said to have fortified the vicinity of Wessel's Nek.

Gen. Sir Frederick Carrington has reached Cape Town, and is going to Beira, Portuguese East Africa forthwith.

The War Officer proposes to land at Cape Town before the end of May 20,000 horses, which will be conveyed there by twenty-three steamers sailing from New Orleans, Buenos Ayres and Australian ports.

The Westminster Gazette likens the British campaign to the fruitless series of campaigns in which the large, disciplined armies of Spain sought to crush the Cuban insurrection, adding: "Of course our troops far excel in valor and discipline the conscript armies of Spain, and the climate is in our favor, but our enemies equally excel the ragged Cubans."

In connection with the resumption of hostilities in Natal, an interesting rumor is current that Gen. Buller has obtained command of one of the Drakkensberg passes, whereby he hopes to take the Boers in the rear. In the event of his being successful, Gen. Buller has enough troops to leave 6000 men to hold Natal while he advances by way of Harrismith, whence he would be able to threaten the Boer positions at Bethlehem and Kroonstadt.

The officials of the Foreign Office here ridicule the statement made in a dispatch from St. Petersburg, published in the Aftenbladt of Stockholm, saying the Czar is "extremely agitated" over the Anglo-Portuguese arrangement in regard to landing British troops and supplies at Beira, and that he intends to issue a proclamation protesting against it in the course of his forthcoming visit to Moscow, and say there is no basis for the statement that the Foreign Office has received letters on the subject.

The British Foreign Office officials consider that it is entirely out of the province of Russia to interfere with the Anglo-Portuguese arrangements. The Boer War Office evidently regarded the Foreign Office here as being in the nature of a rebellion and quite outside the category of what was provided for by The Hague conference, so intervention of any kind under The Hague convention is regarded as impossible.

AMERICAN HORSES.

BIG PURCHASES BY BRITISH.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

NEW YORK, April 10.—The Journal and Advertiser tomorrow will say:

"A contract to buy 30,000 to 35,000 horses for the British government was about completed in this city yesterday. The horses are for cavalry regiments and the artillery service in South Africa and they will cost several million dollars. This is the largest single order of the kind ever placed in this country.

"The horses must conform practically to the United States army's strict requirements in size, breed and soundness. This limits the choice practically to the breeds reared in the producing centers of Kentucky, Indiana, Illinois, Missouri and Iowa.

"Buffalo has been selected as the point of inspection, where the horses will be brought by the contractors, who will act as the British government's agents. When accepted at Buffalo, the horses sufficiently rested, will be shipped to this city and loaded on the transport vessels in lots of about 1000 each."

DEFEAT OF PLUMER.

FIGHT AT RAMATHLABAMA.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

GABERONES, Sunday April 1.—[By South African Cable.] Yesterday Col. Plumer, with 270 mounted men and a few infantry and one Maxim gun arrived at Ramathlabama, where he left the dismounted men and proceeded along the railroad to within sight of Mafeking. The advance guard, under Col. White, encountered a large body of Boers, and almost simultaneously the left and right flanks were attacked, and sharp fighting followed.

The Boers were in crescent formation, and outnumbered the British 2 to 1. They advanced with skill and stubbornness, and persistently endeavored to encircle the British. After holding his ground for an hour, Col. Plumer retired, with the Boers slowly following him up. The fighting continued throughout the ten miles retreat to Ramathlabama, where the British Maxim gun was brought into play. After a stiff fight, Col. Plumer reached his camp.

The British casualties were: Killed, three officers and seven men; wounded, three officers and twenty-four men; missing, eleven. The Boer loss was serious.

At the conclusion of the fight, Gen. Snyman informed Col. Baden-Powell that he had some British wounded, and both Baden-Powell and Plumer sent ambulances. The Boers were also busy Sunday collecting their dead and wounded. Most of the British wounded were only slightly hurt. Col. Plumer was wounded, but was able to carry out his duties.

While the ambulance was still at Ramathlabama, April 2, Gen. Snyman with 800 men and three guns, arrived there, and finding no British troops in the vicinity, returned to Mafeking. It is reported here that the advance guard of Lord Methuen's relief force has left Vryburg for Mafeking.

MILLIGAN A PRISONER.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

BULUWAYO, Thursday, April 5.—Lieut. Milligan of Col. Plumer's column is a prisoner in the hands of the Boers.

USED UP OFFICERS.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

GABERONES, Tuesday, April 3.—Saturday's fight in the environs of Mafeking was conducted on Col. Plumer's side under great difficulties, being in the proximity of the Boer laagers, whence reinforcements could be promptly sent to the burghers, and there was little cover available for the British when the fight began, the plain being sparsely wooded and the railroad embankment, the chief protection, being only two feet high. The men behaved gallantly, however, and the officers were unexceptionally conspicuous in the affair.

With the exception of a few rounds fired by the British Maxim gun at Ramathlabama, the fire on both sides was entirely by rifles. Half of the British officers were more or less seriously wounded.

Col. Plumer's wound was in his right arm. His horse was shot. Col. Bodle and Capt. Rolt were wounded. Col. Plumer's orderly is missing. Sergt.-Maj. Manning of the Fifth Dragoon Guards, who took up the duties of orderly, did excellent work. Capt. Fred Crewe was shot dead while covering the retreat of others.

Capt. MacLaren was severely wounded, and Lieut. Milligan, the famous Yorkshire cricketer, fatally, while tenaciously holding an assigned position. Lieut. Milligan rode unassisted to Ramathlabama.

THE BRITISH VERSION.

[A. P DAY REPORT.]

BULUWAYO, Tuesday, April 3.—Col. Plumer engaged the Boers between Ramathlabama and Mafeking, March 31. The Boers appeared in considerable force six miles from Mafeking, and to prevent being outflanked on both sides Plumer had to withdraw on Ramathlabama, subsequently retiring to his base camp. The engagement lasted three hours, and the retirement was well carried out in good order under a heavy fire.

[The above dispatch is the British version of the defeat of Col. Plumer's force, first announced April 5, in a special dispatch from Lorenzo Marquez, which said sharp fighting occurred April 2 in the neighborhood of Mafeking. It was added that the garrison made sorties, while Col. Plumer's cavalry attacked the Boers at Ramathlabama. Both attacks, it was asserted, were repulsed. Twenty of Col. Plumer's men were found dead on the field, and six others were made prisoners. The Federal losses were said to be small.]

PUSHED THEM BACK.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

BULUWAYO, March 31.—Col. Baden-Powell wires from Mafeking under date of March 21, confirming the report that the Boers had been pushed back so far that the town was comparatively out of range of musketry. He concluded with saying: "All promises well for eventually cutting off this force of the enemy, if we can hold Snyman here."

BOER COMMISSIONERS.

THEY ARRIVE AT NAPLES.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

NAPLES, April 10.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The Boer peace commissioners, Messrs. Fischer, Wolmarsans and Wessels, arrived here today, and were welcomed by Mr. Muller, the representative of the Orange Free State, and Mr. Van Boeschen, the secretary of the Transvaal Legation at Brussels. They will remain here for some days. Messrs. Mueller and Van Boeschen went on board the Kaiser and had a long conference with the envoys.

It is asserted by passengers that the peace commissioners are empowered to open negotiations for an acceptable peace or for a truce, with a view to subsequent negotiations.

The Corriere D'Italia this evening publishes an interview with Mr. Fischer, representing him as having said: "Lord Roberts will never reach Pretoria, as he would have to pass through an impracticable desert. Moreover, he is almost without cavalry and oxen."

Mr. Fischer, in the course of the interview, condemns the insinuation that the attack upon the Prince of Wales by Sipido was the result of the campaign conducted by Dr. Leyds.

LEYDS TO CONFER.

BRUSSELS, April 10.—Dr. Leyds will leave Brussels tonight to confer with the Boer peace commissioners.

PUBLIC IS NERVOUS.

DUE TO BOERS RALLYING.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

LONDON, April 11, 5 a.m.—[By Atlantic Cable.] But that the War Office has issued no news from Lord Roberts during the last three days, there would be little disposition to place any credence in Boer reports of another British disaster. The unexpected rallying of the Free State commandoes, however, leaves the public in a nervous condition, fearing everything.

Dispatches from Pretoria as late as Monday did not mention any further Boer victory. On the contrary, they said all the commandoes were quiet, and as Lord Roberts had hitherto failed to promptly report mischances, as well as successes, or to allow the newspaper correspondents to report them, until some confirmation is received, there is justification for regarding the Merketsfontein rumor as only an exaggerated account of the Reddersburg affair. At the same time, Boer reports have so often proved correct that the greatest anxiety will be felt.

Boer reports seem to indicate that Lord Methuen is advancing from Boshof toward Hoopstad. It is a bold and apparently a dangerous move, since, although it turns the right flank of the Boer position at Brandfort, it puts Lord Methuen's force between whatever garrison there may be at Bloemhoef, in the Transvaal, and the Brandfort forces.

The Boer peace commissioners at Naples do not conceal the fact that they have no hope of obtaining peace with independence for the republics, but they will endeavor to save their amour propre, or to secure a truce for further negotiations. Mr. Fischer says the present Boer strength at the front is 35,000.

TROOPS FOR SHIPMENT.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

LONDON, April 11.—The Durban correspondent of the Standard, telegraphing Tuesday, says: "Large numbers of troops are coming down for shipment to Cape Colony. Two regiments have already sailed. Gen. Hart is also going to the Cape, probably in command of these troops."

NAVAL GUNS BOMBARD.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

LONDON, April 11.—The Durban correspondent of the Daily Telegraph, telegraphing April 10, says: "Our naval guns have commenced bombarding the Boer positions between Sunday River and Biggarsberg."

SEEK AN OPENING.

ENEMY AROUND BLOEMFONTEIN.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

LONDON, April 10.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The Bloemfontein correspondent of the Times, telegraphing Monday, says:

"The enemy is making a desperate attempt to discover a strategic opening. Their numbers are unknown to us, but are anywhere between 3000 and 6000. They are moving cautiously. Remounts are arriving, but the Argentine animals are little liked by the cavalry.

"Among the valuable documents discovered belonging to Messrs. Steyn and Fischer is some correspondence proving that the fall of Ladysmith was to be the signal for a general Dutch rising."

STILL HAVE WATER.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

LONDON, April 11.—The Bloemfontein correspondent of the Morning Post says: "The water supply continues satisfactory. Entrenching is proceeding vigorously on the hills commanding Bloemfontein. Civilian labor is to be utilized. Sickness among the troops is somewhat diminishing."

MUTHUEN NEAR BOSHOF.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

SWARTKOPFONTEIN (Orange Free State,) Monday, April 9.—Lord Methuen's force is encamped here, ten miles east of Boshof. Since the Boshof affair, Lord Cheesham, with yeomanry and the Kimberley mounted corps, has reconnoitered eastward, but he only encountered a small body of Boers, who fled.

SAYS IT WAS OUR CARL.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

LONDON, April 11.—The Berlin correspondent of the Daily News asserts that the Reichmann who is credited with having led the Boers at Kornspruit, is certainly the American military attaché, Capt. Carl Reichmann.

WASTAGE IN HORSES.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

BLOEMFONTEIN, April 9.—Remounts are continually arriving, but competent authorities estimate that the wastage of horses monthly by the British forces in South Africa must be calculated at not less than 5000.

HEAVY CANNONADING.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

PRETORIA, Monday, April 9.—[Via Lorenzo Marquez, April 10.] Heavy cannonading is reported at Fourteen Streams. The British are using a naval gun. Lord Methuen is moving in the direction of Hoopestad.

BOER GUNS POSTED.

[A. P. EARLY A.M. REPORT.]

NEW YORK, April 10.—A dispatch to the Herald, from Ladysmith, April 8, says: "The Boers have posted a big gun on Knights Hill, north of Elands Laagte and another in the vicinity of Wessels Nek, station. The enemy are reported to be strongly entrenched at Helpmaakar."

MISSING SECURITIES.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

NEW YORK, April 10.—Dispatches from Cape Town via London, telling of the disappearance of the negotiable securities amounting to £130,000, belonging to the Mutual Life Insurance Company, were received with reservation by the officials of the company today. A representative of the company declared that no such sum of securities or money had been deposited in South Africa. The company has about $100,000 on deposit, evenly divided in the banks of the Orange Free State and the Transvaal. This money is used for business purposes.

IN ST. HELENA.

PRISONERS TO LAND TODAY.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

ISLAND OF ST. HELENA, April 9.—[By South African Cable.] The Niobe and the Milwaukee have arrived here with the Boer prisoners. Their health is good, with the exception of four cases of measles, necessitating the Milwaukee being quarantined.

The prisoners are quiet and well-behaved. They will probably land tomorrow. The governor has been notified of the desire of the authorities that the prisoners be treated with every courtesy and consideration.

QUEEN IS DELIGHTED

WITH HER DUBLIN RECEPTION.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

DUBLIN, April 10.—[By Atlantic Cable.] Queen Victoria, through the authorities here, has informed the citizens of Dublin of her delight at the reception accorded her yesterday.

Her Majesty took her customary drive in her chair in the vice-regal grounds this morning.

Thousands of people repaired to Kingstown today to witness the maneuvers of the channel fleet. The bay presented a most picturesque appearance, being covered with craft of all kinds. The Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, Earl Cadogan, and the vice-regal party boarded the flagship and other vessels on which they remained during the progress of the evolutions. The Queen was unable to go to Kingstown

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Child's parasols in plain colored china silk, with five ruffles.
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Changeable taffeta silk, with fancy striped border, natural wood handles.
At $3.25—Parasols.
Plain china silk in red and white, covered with narrow star shaped ruffles.
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[COAST RECORD.]

HULL LANDS IN JAIL.

RACY DIVORCE SUIT—THEN A PERJURY CHARGE.

Wealthy Arizona Mine Owner and Former Lawmaker Arrested at New York for Alleged False Swearing as to Residence.

Charges His Wife With Drunkenness and She Brings Counter Charges. Court at Prescott Grants Alimony to the Woman.

Mrs. Hearst to Establish a Museum. Exciting Session of Fair-Craven Suit—Kreling Mystery Deepened. Weather and Crops.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

TUCSON (Ariz.,) April 10.—George W. Hull, the wealthy Arizona mine owner, politician and ex-member of the Arizona Legislature, who was arrested and placed in jail in New York City today on the charge of perjury in connection with his divorce suit, is well known throughout Arizona. His mines are located adjoining the famous United Verde mines.

Hull married his wife in Phoenix; from there they went to Jerome. Hull then went East and sold mining stock to the amount of $225,000. He took his wife East last fall and left her in New York with but $40, he going to Mexico. Later he filed a complaint in Providence, R. I., alleging bona fide residence for one year, and domicile there. A warrant was sworn out charging him with falsely swearing to his residence.

Mrs. Hull began suit in Prescott for separate maintenance, and last Saturday the court ordered temporary alimony of $150 per month. Hull charges her with being a drunkard, which she denies. The complaint is replete with charges of unconscionable conduct, and charges specifically that all the time Hull claimed to be a resident of Providence, R. I., he was domiciled at Jerome, Ariz., and was in the East selling mining stock.

Then it was Pence's turn to be reprimanded, and Judge Troutt admonished him in vigorous language. Later Knight offered an apology to the Court; so did Pence.

Mrs. Craven appealed to the Court to have Knight apologize to her for his language respecting her daughter, but Knight replied that he would not apologize. The court then adjourned after the most exciting session thus far held.

MULLEN'S DISAPPEARANCE.

THE RECORDS AT SEATTLE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SEATTLE (Wash.,) April 10.—Police Captain Sullivan stated tonight that the department knew nothing of the reported discovery of Edward F. Mullen of Los Angeles in Portland.

"That Mullen was missing," said the captain, "was reported to this department April 8 by E. A. Stuart of Kent, who was staying at the Hotel Seattle. As I understood the matter, he made the report with the sanction of Mullen's sister, who had come to Seattle to look him up. She did not call personally on the police, but I have every reason to believe she was in the city. I do not know at what hotel he was staying. I understood he was on his way north. Stuart said Mullen wrote home that he was out of funds, and asked for aid. His people immediately telegraphed to him, but the telegrams were not called for. They lay in the office several days."

The official police report on file says: "Edward F. Mullen, aged 35, missing since ——. Reported by E. A. Stuart. This man's people live in Los Angeles. They had letter from him about two weeks ago, asking for aid. Have not heard from him since. His sister came here and found his mail in post-office uncalled for."

[The foregoing dispatch gives the authority for the dispatch printed in The Times yesterday morning. Friends of Mullen in this city have received word from him that he is in Portland, Or., whither he appears to have gone from Seattle.]

LIVELY COURT SCENES.

IN FAIR-CRAVEN HEARING.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, April 10.—The Fair-Craven case was enlivened today by spirited argument by opposing lawyers and between Mrs. Craven and Lawyer Knight. Adolph Sylva of Sausalito was the first witness called. His testimony was not of a startling nature, but upon being called upon to identify a signature on a letter as his own, said: "It looks like it, but there has been so much forgery in this case that I would not like to be sure of it." Mrs. Craven was then called to the stand, and told of her engaging Sylva to look up the records of her marriage and paying him $200.

A lively scene ensued when Mr. Knight asked Mrs. Craven why she had waited seven years before she resolved to secure evidence of her marriage and reveal her secret to the world.

"It was largely at your request," replied Mrs. Craven, hotly.

"Indeed," sneered Mr. Knight. "Was it not because you wanted to satisfy the conscience of your daughter?"

"No, sir," almost shrieked Mrs. Craven. "You remember when you wanted me to compromise with the Fair people for $500,000, and when I wanted to get attorneys to press my claims you said you'd cut my throat from ear to ear."

The trouble was at the boiling point when the court admonished Mr. Knight to be more temperate in his remarks. Then Attorney Pence took a hand, insinuating that Knight's knowledge of the law was insignificant, to which Knight replied that he did not wish to be insulted by a "fugitive from Colorado."

ART AND ARCHAEOLOGY.

MRS. HEARST'S MUSEUM PROJECT

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, April 10.—Mrs. Phoebe A. Hearst, who defrayed the expenses of the great international competition for permanent plans for the buildings and grounds at Berkeley, and who has aided the university in many other ways, has just announced to the board of regents that she has undertaken the task of establishing a museum of art and archaeology. Mrs. Hearst has planned for the collection on a large scale of objects illustrating the history of fine arts throughout the world. The nucleus of the new fine arts museum will be supplied by a collector, who has just been appointed by Mrs. Hearst.

American School of Classical Studies in Athens, who is the most celebrated of living American archaeologists, will have charge of the collections in classical arts and archaeology. Dr. A. Reisner is in charge of the Egyptian excavations. Dr. Hrdl is in Yucatan for the University of California, and Dr. Philip Mills Jones of San Francisco is now in Southern California searching for relics of the aboriginal inhabitants.

Although excavation for the university is impossible in Italy and in Greece, it will be entirely practicable in Egypt and Mesopotamia. Work is already in progress for the university in the Peninsula of Yucatan. The work in Southern California is yet somewhat problematic. Recently a number of mounds in the Tulare Valley were opened on behalf of the university, but the results were not notable.

UNFAIR DIFFERENTIALS.

PORTLAND JOBBERS TESTIFY.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

PORTLAND (Or.,) April 10.—The Interstate Commerce Commission arrived here today and began hearing testimony of Portland jobbers on the petition of the St. Louis jobbers to compel western railroad lines to make the same rates on less than carload lots that are made on carload lots. Testimony of witnesses this morning was to the effect that a continuation of what they termed "unfair differentials" will drive Pacific Coast jobbers to water routes, and in many cases to buy foreign goods.

Jobbers representing several lines of trade were examined. The evidence tended to show that the Milwaukee differential and later the St. Paul supplementary differential adopted by the Northern Pacific and Great Northern, were unfair to the interests of Pacific Coast jobbers. The testimony of these jobbers showed that since the lowering of differentials by the Milwaukee tariff, water shipments had increased to a very large degree; that Portland jobbers discriminated against the Northern Pacific and Great Northern by throwing their shipments to other lines because of the action of those lines in cutting in half the rates on paint, oil and hardware goods at the St. Paul meeting, and that unless the rates on less than carload lots were raised or the rates on carload lots lowered it would drive the jobbers to depend entirely upon water rates.

The St. Louis and Chicago counsel attempted to get witnesses to admit that the object of the Pacific Coast jobbers was to shut out competition and deny to the retailer the right of that competition which they were objecting to in their own case.

Each witness said that what he objected to was not "too much competition," but "unfair competition." They objected to the Middle West jobbers leaving their interests in the Middle West and coming out here and cutting up their trade. The jobbing interest of Portland represented $50,000,000, and was entitled to protection, and as for competition—the retailer had the benefit of the competition of all the Pacific Coast jobbers, which was keen and could never be crystallized into any kind of a monopoly by which the retail trade would be made to suffer.

RAILROAD IS PROSPEROUS.

STATEMENT OF EARNINGS.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, April 10.—The Southern Pacific earnings for the month of February show an increase over the earnings of the same time last year. The gross earnings for the month were $4,644,685, an increase of $710,806. Operating expenses were $3,289,401, an increase of $403,667. Net earnings were $1,355,284, an increase of $307,138. The gross earnings of the company for the eight months ending February 28 were $42,812,422, and operating, $27,247,243, leaving a net income of $15,565,179. The gross earnings were $6,086,039 in excess of the gross earnings for the corresponding period of last year, and the operating expenses were $3,476,766 greater during the same period.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, April 10.—At the stockholders' meeting of the Central Pacific Railroad Company today the following were elected a Board of Directors: W. F. Herrin, J. C. Stubbs, J. Kruttschnitt, R. P. Schwerin, J. L. Wilcutt, and J. M. Hanford.

TO SOCIETY ISLANDS.

FAST STEAMER SERVICE.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, April 10.—News has been received from Tahiti, via Auckland, New Zealand, that the Tahitian government has accepted the Oceanic Steamship Company's proposal for a steam service from San Francisco to Tahiti. Heretofore the only connection between the Society Islands and San Francisco has been maintained by schooners sailing at intervals of about a month, and occupying from thirty to thirty-six days in passage.

According to the terms of the agreement entered into between the Tahitian government and the Oceanic Steamship Company, a steamship of about 3000 tons register is to be placed in the service to make eleven round trips per annum, each round trip occupying about thirty-five days, which includes thirteen days in port.

WEATHER AND CROPS.

SOUTH IS STILL SUFFERING.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 10.—The following weekly crop and weather report is furnished by the United States Department of Agriculture. General summary:

Cooler weather has prevailed during the week, with considerable cloudiness, the temperature averaging a few degrees below normal. At the close of this report, no advices of injurious frosts have been received, although light to heavy frosts occurred toward the end of the week. Showers have occurred in nearly all parts of the State, and have greatly benefited crops, in some sections the rainfall was heavy and was accompanied by thunder, lightning and hail. Some damage was done to fruit in the San Joaquin Valley by the remarkably heavy hail storm April 2. The central and northern portion of the State have sufficient rain for the present, but the southern counties are still suffering from drought, the recent rain having been too light to benefit crops except in a few favored localities.

The condition of wheat, barley and hay in the great valleys and in the northern section of the coast section continues excellent, and the outlook for large crops is even better than at the last report. Wheat and barley will probably be a failure in nearly all parts of Southern California, and in some places the grain fields are so far gone as to be unfit for pasturage; in some localities it is claimed that the recent rains have made possible a small crop of wheat, and that a fair crop of hay will be gathered.

Deciduous fruits continue thrifty, with increasing indications of a heavy yield, even though some varieties are said to be dropping badly in many orchards, and in some localities the thinning out is said to be to the advantage of the fruit and saves the labor of the orchards. Almonds are nearly also dropping badly. Citrus fruit trees are in good condition. Vineyards are looking well.

FROSTS NIP GRAPEVINES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

FRESNO, April 10.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] This section of the valley has been visited by a sharp frost on two successive nights, and though the temperature did not fall to within several degrees of the freezing point, reports coming in from vineyards are causing anxiety. It is known the damage already done will be equivalent to a loss of 25 per cent. of the estimated crop, and it may be more. In Madera, A. L. Sayre has 200 acres of vines nipped and blackened. Col. William Forsythe states that at least thirty acres on his vineyard have been damaged. F. H. Lowell of Madison, this county, has sixty acres badly nipped. George and Frank Helm haye 250 acres which have suffered much damage. These examples are a fair illustration of the conditions in this county, Tulare, Kings and Madera.

POINTS OF LAW.

ATTORNEY-GENERAL'S VIEWS.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, April 10.—Atty.-Gen. Ford rendered several opinions today. He decided that the lease from the Colton Pavilion Company to the Twenty-eighth District Agricultural Association as it existed in 1892, is not binding upon that association, as reorganized, and that, therefore, the $1200 appropriation for the present fiscal year to the latter district is available.

C. H. Davis, port warden of San Diego, was informed that in case he was absent from the State for a period greater than sixty days, his position would be considered vacant.

Adjt.-Gen. W. H. Seamans was informed that in regard to removing officers of the National Guard and appointing others in their place, the power of displacing such officers is vested entirely in the Governor, to act upon recommendations reaching him through military channels.

Frank Smith, Auditor of Alpine county, was informed that William Thornburn, District Attorney of that county, whose place is being contested, has a right to draw his salary

PEACE IN COPPER FIELD.

CONTRACTS MADE AT PRESCOTT.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

PRESCOTT (Ariz.,) April 10.—Contracts were signed today between the Arizona, Eastern and Montana Company, and the Val Verde Copper Company, by which the latter control by lease the Boggs custom smelter, in this county, heretofore operated by the Arizona, Eastern and Montana Company, and the latter company secures a favorable local market for ores from their mines in Yavapai county, and the output of their concentrating mills in Southern Arizona.

The Val Verde Company will close down the Boggs smelter, and will blow in their new custom smelter, recently completed, in about six weeks. This agreement virtually makes identical the interests of the two companies in Yavapai county, which for the past few months have been very antagonistic.

TROUBLE OVER A MINE.

TROOPS PROTECT PROPERTY.

[A. P. EARLY A.M. REPORT.]

TUCSON (Ariz.,) April 10.—Col. Kosterlitski, gendarme commander of Sonora, has arrived at the Cobre Grand copper mine, just below the border, with a cavalry command, having been called to protect the mining property against the Costello faction, which has made several unsuccessful attempts to gain possession of the valuable property. The mine is operated by the Green Consolidated Company and the Costello faction, who once held the property, are trying to regain it. No trouble is expected to occur so long as the troops remain on the ground.

BEAR NEEDS SAILORS

TO REPLACE THE DESERTERS.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, April 10.—The revenue cutter Bear will sail for Seattle on Friday on her way to Cape Nome and the Arctic. The cutter has made little progress toward replacing the crew that recently deserted. There were formerly twenty men on the deck and thus far only three have been shipped. Capt. Tuttle says that he will go to sea with four men, two to a watch, if he can do no better. It is very difficult to obtain sailors at the government rate of $28 a month, as masters of coasting vessels are now paying as high as $40.

See Ho How's Deportation.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 10.—Judge De Haven of the United States District Court has been asked to grant a writ of habeas corpus and set aside the order of United States Commissioner James at San José for the deportation of See Ho How. The Chinese has an admittedly genuine registration certificate, but the commissioner refused to hear the evidence of a white witness to prove that he has resided in San José for twelve years.

Human Foot Found.

FLORISTON, April 10.—Trackmen found a foot and ankle on the railroad track two miles east of Truckee today. Fresh blood, but no man, was found near. The foot was encased in a rough shoe and sock. The trainmen say no one in Truckee knew of any accident. They think a tramp was on the brake-beam, and that his foot got caught under a wheel without dragging him off the beam.

Pool on Dried Fruit.

SAN JOSE, April 10.—It was announced today at the office of the Cured Fruit Association that the exporting houses of Balfour, Guthrie & Co., and the Johnson Locke Mercantile Company will pool issues with the association in the matter of dried fruit. These are among the largest foreign exporters of the prune product in the United States.

Terrill Gets Four Years.

SAN JOSE, April 10.—Samuel B. Terrill, the young attorney convicted of forgery, was today sentenced to four years in San Quentin by Judge Lorigan. He took his sentence calmly, and will go to the Supreme Court. There are four charges still pending against him.

Recruits at the Presidio.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 10.—Two hundred and twenty-four recruits, under command of Lieut. C. J. Nelson, Seventeenth Infantry, arrived from Fort Wood, New York, today and went into camp at the Presidio.

Sunset Limited Discontinued.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 10.—The Sunset Limited train service of the Southern Pacific Company will be discontinued after this month. Only two more trains will be run, one on the 17th and the other on the 24th inst.

Stockton Presbytery Meets.

TRACY, April 10.—The Stockton Presbytery, which includes twenty-two churches of the San Joaquin Valley, convened here tonight.

Exhibit Safe in Paris.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 10.—At a

DON'T NEGLECT YOUR KIDNEYS.

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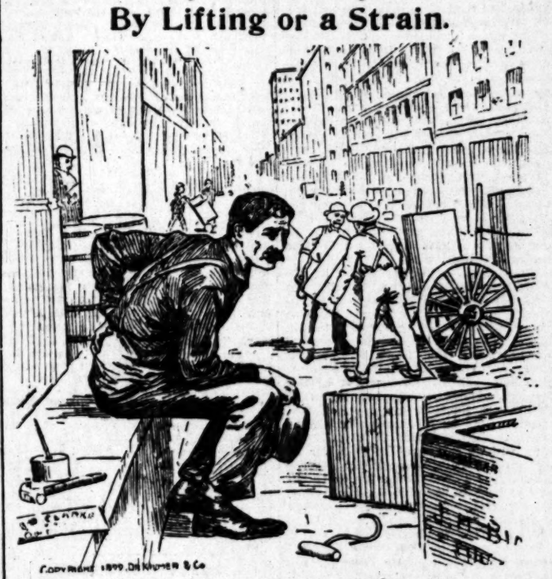

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day a letter was read from the former manager, J. A. Filcher, who is now in Paris with the State exhibit. Mr. Filcher says the large exhibit arrived in very good shape, but few breakages having occurred on the voyage. The articles are well placed.

Want Nathan Declared Insolvent.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 10.—Creditors of Aaron Nathan of Sacramento representing debts to the amount of $383, have petitioned the United States District Court to have him declared insolvent.

Gomez Sails from Havana.

HAVANA, April 10.—Gen. Maximo Gomez sailed today for Santa Domingo. Before leaving he denied that he had any intention of attempting to become the President of Santo Domingo, as had been intimated in the Havana papers. A farewell banquet was given tonight to Brig.-Gen. William Ludlow, the retiring Military Governor of the late Department of Havana.

At New York Hotels.

NEW YORK, April 10.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] F. E. Reed and wife are at the Murray Hill; W. H. Bonsall is at the Holland.

WHERE'S MY COLLAR BUTTON?

We don't know, but we have boxes to keep them in, 25c each. Pittsburgh Aluminum Co., 312 South Spring street.

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CLARK AND MATRIMONY.

WILL GET ANOTHER MAN'S WIFE FOR HIMSELF.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PHILADELPHIA, April 10.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The North American prints this story today from Washington:

"A report of more than ordinary interest is current to the effect that before many moon 'Senator' Clark of Montana will lead to the altar as his wife, Mrs. Clover, who was, before her marriage, Miss Patten, one of the daughters of the late Mrs. Patten of San Francisco. The latter left a fortune of $1,000,000, to be divided among her five daughters. A lawsuit ensued as to the division of the money, and since that time Mrs. Clover, whose husband was at one time a Missouri Congressman, has been estranged from her family.

"Mrs. Clover is living in Providence, R. I., at present, and it is said it is her intention to secure a divorce from her husband, with whom she has not lived for some time, and then to accept the hand of 'Senator' Clark. The sisters of Mrs. Clover are of the smart set of Washington, and in the event of Mrs. Clover becoming Mrs. Clark, some interesting developments are likely to arise, as Clark is a society man himself."

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had been arranged for him today are declared off, as he will leave the city this morning on the 8 o'clock limited over the Southern Pacific, going direct to Yuma, where he will stop over and speak. From that point he will go direct to Phoenix.

PICKPOCKETS' WORK.

George M. T. Howard of No. 704 North Main street, went to hear Bryan speak last night, and his curiosity cost him dearly. As he was entering the Velodrome his pockets were picked of a buckskin purse containing $70 in gold. The matter was reported to Capt. Bradish of the detective department, but there is no hope of regaining the stolen money.

FOUND AT THE VELODROME.

The following articles, lost by persons at the Velodrome last night, were picked up by officers and others after the audience left, and turned over to the police, and are now in charge of Detective Bradish: Silver watch, Masonic charm, cameo ring, silver breastpin, four ladies' hair combs, brown cape coat, sealskin shoulder cape, cloth shoulder cape, fur cape, embroidered and beaded plush cape.

AT K. OF P. HALL.

BRYAN ADDRESSES PYTHIANS.

At 7:30 o'clock last evening Mr. Bryan was escorted from the Nadeau to the Castle Hall of the Knights of Pythias, at No. 108 North Spring street, and as he entered the hall escorted by Judge O. K. Trask and Capt. G. S. Adolph, the 600 members of the order arose and greeted him with continued applause. His time being limited, he was at once introduced by Chancellor Commander C. F. Guthridge of Marathon Lodge, No. 182, under whose auspices the meeting was held, and delivered an eloquent speech of about fifteen minutes' duration. His remarks were confined entirely to the subject of the order of Knights of Pythias, and were punctuated by frequent applause. He is a member of Myrtle Lodge, Lincoln, Neb., and wore upon his breast the badge of the lodge. He withdrew upon conclusion of his speech, followed by the applause and cheers of the assembly. Among the prominent Knights present were John R. Newberry, George B. McLaughlin, F. M. Nickell, D. K. Trask, E. A. Hutchinson and others from the city, as well as visitors from Chicago, Toledo, O.; Galesburg, Ill.; Tacoma, Wash.; Cold Springs, Colo.; Lafayette, Ind.; Pasadena, Pomona, San Diego, Santa Monica, Long Beach, San Pedro, San Francisco and Sacramento.

BADGES FOR ALL.

"SILVER REPUBLICAN" POWWOW

It was highly diverting to observe Josiah Noonan Phillips, the ponderous leader of the alleged Silver Republican party, rushing about yesterday afternoon, puffing, panting, pinning Silver Republican Club badges on every member of the human race that would permit it—Populists, Democrats, Silver Republicans, men, women and children, were attacked by the El Capitan of moribund Republicanism.

Then a sorry looking nag, just arrived with a load of truck from the country, ambled down the street with a "S. R. C." badge stuck in his leather collar.

"On March 14 the State Executive Committee of the Silver Republican party sent forth a call for a grand rally and State conference to be held in Los Angeles at 3 p.m., April 10, at which delegates to the Silver Republican National Convention would be elected. The call was in the form of a circular letter addressed to members of the party notifying them of the gathering, which was termed a meeting of the State Central Committee, and also stating that the recipient had been appointed to membership in that body, the place designated for the meeting being the Hotel Nadeau. Pursuant to the call, five loyal white-metal Republicans assembled, at the stated hour, in room 146 of the Nadeau.

It was quickly realized that something was wrong, for Josiah Noonan Phillips and Nathan Cole, Jr., without whom there is no Silver Republican party, were wanting.

The delegate from Redondo was instantly made a committee to search for the missing half of the "convention." A visit to the headquarters of the State Executive Committee—the office of J. N. Phillips—secured the information that the conference had met at noon, the change in time having been made by the Executive Committee. At that meeting J. Noonan Phillips had been made chairman, delegate at large to the national convention from Southern California, and a special committee to secure badges for the entire membership of the Silver Republican Club. W. W. Coons of Sacramento acted as secretary. A Committee on Platform and Resolutions was appointed consisting of Lionel A. Sheldon, Esq. (of the legal firm of Phillips & Schutze,) G. M. Dixon, B. N. Lowry and E. W. Fortune. A Committee on Credentials was also named. As a fair proportion of the eighteen county delegates present were placed on this committee, it is highly probable that no large delegation will be sent out. The only credentials published was a copy of the circular letter heretofore described.

The "convention" will convene today at 1 p.m.

The formality will be observed of electing two delegates at large and twenty district delegates to the national convention to be held at Kansas City at the time of the Democratic national gathering. It is stated that Charles D. Lane of San Francisco will head the delegation, to be chosen today, as a member at large. In addition to J. N. Phillips, the other delegates already slated are Nathan Cole, Jr., of Los Angeles, F. Kimball and D. Robert Dexter of San Francisco, W. W. Coons and G. M. Dixon of Sacramento, J. H. Woolwine of San Diego, Col. A. Mingus of Santa Ana, A. T. Hamer of Galt, J. L. Granger of Fresno and John Britton of San José.

MINISTER IN JOURNALISM.

METHODISTS VOTE DOWN CRITICISM OF SHELDON'S FLYER.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

NEW YORK, April 10.—The New York conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, today, after a lively discussion, voted, by a large majority to strike out of the report from the committee on Periodicals derogatory references to the Rev. Mr. Sheldon's recent essay in journalism, and to the late A. S. Macarthur's work as religious editor of one of the local papers. Dr. James M. King, delegate-elect to the general conference, speaking to the motion regarding Rev. Mr. Sheldon, said: "It is an awful mistake for any one to edit a daily paper or any other paper, assuming to know what Jesus Christ would do. I think it is nothing else than blasphemy—unintentional blasphemy, maybe—but blasphemy all the same. I for one, protest against this style of Christian work."

DANCING AND CARD PLAYING.

BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ANBURY (Ct.,) April 10.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The concluding session of the New York East conference this morning was devoted to a discussion as to striking out from the church disciplinary clause which prohibits dancing and card playing. It was decided by a large majority to recommend that the clause be stricken out. The matter was brought up by Prof. W. N. Rice of Wesleyan University, who offered a resolution directing that the clause be stricken out, and that the matter be left to the various pastorates. Dr. J. M. Buckley said the Rev. Dr.

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CENTRAL STILL THE FEATURE.

ELEVEN HUNDRED SHARES SOLD AT ADVANCED PRICES.

Much Money Being Expended on the Oil Belt West of Los Angeles, and Prospects Apparently Good—Interesting Operations—What the Companies are Doing.

Central stock was the only feature on the Oil Exchange yesterday. Eleven hundred shares changed hands at advanced prices. The stock seems to be a favorite, and has steadily advanced from $1.08 a share, at which price it was held a few days since, to $1.15, at which it closed strong yesterday. The sales of Central were 100 shares at $1.12½, and 1000 at $1.15.

The only other stock in which trading was done was Continental, of which 100 shares were sold at 59 cents, and 100 at 65 cents, buyer thirty days. This is another stock in which a bull movement is noticeable.

Bids and offers on stocks in which no trading was done were as follows: Columbia, $400 asked; Fullerton Consolidated, 55 cents bid, 57 cents asked; Oceanic, 71 cents bid, 74 cents asked; Southern Consolidated, 16 cents bid, 17 cents asked; Uncle Sam, 71¼ cents bid, 73 cents asked, and 72 cents buyer thirty days bid, 71½ cents seller thirty days asked; Union, $40 bid, $50 asked; United Petroleum, $80 asked; Westlake, 55 cents bid.

Petroleum was offered as follows: Three thousand barrels 13½ gravity, grade 1, delivered, $1 asked; 32 gravity oil, f. o. b. Los Angeles, $1.80 asked.

WEST OF THE CITY.

Is the Los Angeles oil belt to be reopened west of the city? If so, where? In attempting to answer this question a great many men have spent large sums of money and, in fact, are still spending a great deal. The prospects for a successful answer in the affirmative were probably never so flattering as at present.

Several years since a company of Los Angeles men drilled to a depth of 1900 feet a few yards south and east of the immense brea blowout, four miles west of the city, on the extension of Wilshire boulevard. No oil was found. For several months past Messrs. Pitcher & Garbutt have been drilling about three hundred yards south and east of this old well. At a depth of 900 feet they lost a bit, and have been fishing for it for several months. If the bit is recovered they will go 500 feet deeper. The same men have another rig up a fourth of a mile southeast of their present well, and will soon start another hole, as they are convinced that oil exists in that section.

The Rommel Oil Company has been at work on the Clenega ranch, which is east and south of the Pitcher and Garbutt well, for the past year. In the first well sunk by this company with a standard rig, oil was found at a depth of 550 feet, which was estimated to run twenty-five barrels daily, but in an attempt to go deeper, and find a second stratum, water was found, and the well ruined. The same company is now down 325 feet in a new well one-fourth of a mile north of the Clenega schoolhouse. The Rommel people are also drilling a well with a Star rig about one-half mile west of Houser station, on the Santa Monica line. At a depth of seventy-five feet oil sand was encountered, which proved to be fifty feet in thickness. This was cased off, and yesterday another stratum of sand was struck at a depth of 175 feet.

Alongside of this last well of the Rommel company and 200 feet west, Clark & Sherman of the Santa Monica electric line, have sunk a hole to a depth of 550 feet with a hydraulic rig. The well is full of oil, and the oil can be dipped up with a can. It is of about 20 deg. gravity and very clean.

The Rosedale Cemetery Association, which owns property along the line of the electric road, east of Houser station, has put down eight test wells, in six of which oil has been found. In one the oil sand was found at a depth of only sixty-five feet, and followed for sixty feet.

Hibbard and others, in sinking a well for water, got a dry hole, but enough gas to run an engine. A number of wells have produced gas in this section for several years. Of the fifteen hydraulic test wells which have recently been put down, twelve have shown oil, one was a water well, and two were dry holes.

A. C. Keating has a derrick up just south of Pico street, near Houser station.

The New Mexico Oil Development Company is sinking with a standard rig a mile southwest from Houser station, and is down 600 feet.

The Rotea company, unincorporated, of which Lockhart & Leonard are the managers, controls 700 acres of territory lying west and southwest from Houser station, and is sinking five wells with hydraulic machines to test the territory. A standard rig will be erected on this property soon and a good test well put down.

It is as yet too early to predict the outcome of this new field, but from present prospects it would seem to have a good chance for producing an abundance of oil.

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American Indigo Blue, C	10c	7½c
American Indigo Blue, B	12½c	8½c
American Dimities	8½c	5½c
New Crash Suitings	12½c	8½c
Good Quality Outing Flannel	8½c	5c
Ladies' Fancy Stripe Cotton Lisle Hose	35c	19c
Ladies' Black Cotton Lisle Hose	25c	14c
Children's Iron Clad Hose	25c	19c
500 Windsor Ties, latest and best	25c	19c
Corliss 4-ply linen Chemisette, with or without collar	25c	19c
Trojan, 4-ply linen collars	15c	7c
Mercerized Silk Vests, pink, blue, violet and white	25c	19c
Crown Bustles	25c	19c
Mercerized Sateen Petticoats	1.50	98c
Drapery Cretonnes	8½c	5½c
36 in. Art Burlaps	20c	14½c
36 in. Curtain Scrim	5c	3½c
20 in. Fancy Stair Denim	20c	11c
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33 in. Sublime Antique Lining, per yd	35c	23c
33 in. Taffeta Linings	12½c	5c
44 in. Mercerized Crepon	1.00	68c
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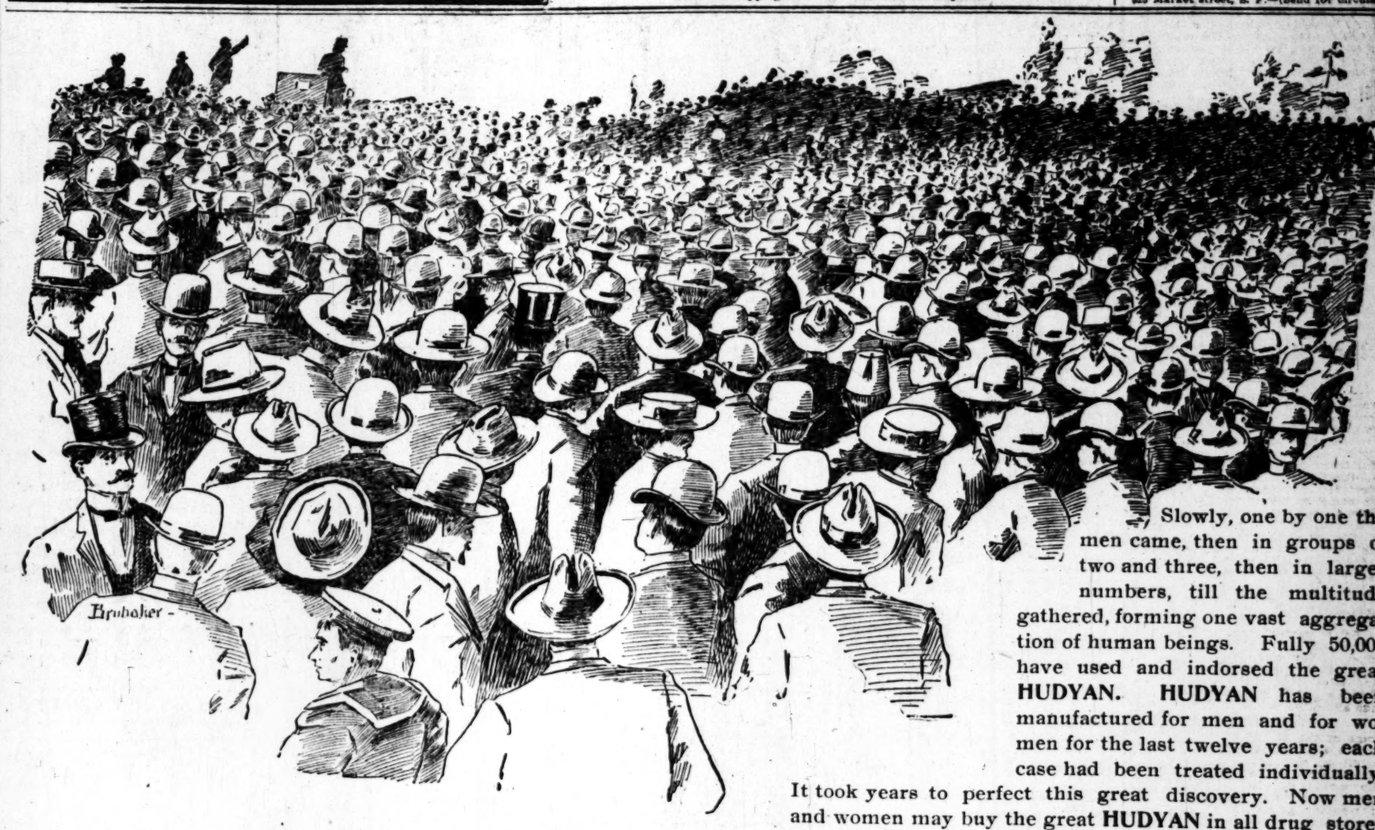

Slowly, one by one the men came, then in groups of two and three, then in larger numbers, till the multitude gathered, forming one vast aggregation of human beings. Fully 50,000 have used and indorsed the great HUDYAN. HUDYAN has been manufactured for men and for women for the last twelve years; each case had been treated individually. It took years to perfect this great discovery. Now men and women may buy the great HUDYAN in all drug stores for 50 cents a package.

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BUSINESS.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE TIMES.
Los Angeles, April 10, 1900.

[The following quotations on sales of citrus fruits in the East yesterday have been wired exclusively to The Times, and hence it is impossible for them to be published simultaneously in any other journal. When so published, they are simply pirated from this paper.]

ORANGES IN THE EAST YESTERDAY

JOBBING DEMAND WAS GOOD.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, April 10.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The weather was very favorable today, and there has been a good jobbing demand for oranges. Fifty-five cars are on the track and due. Forty-five cars will be sold tomorrow; 14,000 boxes of Sicily lemons by the steamship Powhatan were sold today; the cargo was in good condition and quality; the market was firm; extra fancys, 2.90@3.00; fancy, 2.65@2.85; choice, 2.35@2.60.

Boston Citrus-Fruit Market.

BOSTON, April 10.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] There were no auction sales today. About twenty-five cars were on the track, of which about sixteen or eighteen cars will be sold tomorrow. The weather is favorable and prices will probably be well maintained.

Western Markets.

CHICAGO, April 10.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The market is feeling the effects of heavy shipments and a large amount of decayed fruit on the tracks. Buyers somewhat indifferent. Fancy navels, 3.00@3.15; choice, 2.75@2.85; standards, slow on account of decay, 2.25@2.50; seedlings, fair demand, 2.25@2.40; fancy, 2.00@2.15; choice, sweets, 2.50@2.65; for fancy, 2.25@2.35; choice offs, small sizes, sweets and seedlings in good demand at a slight discount from prices of regulars. Lemons firm, with good demand, with little change in prices, from 2.75@3.00, fancy; 2.50@2.65, choice.

Orange Shipments.

There were shipped out of Southern California on Monday 89 carloads of citrus fruit, making a total for the season of 11,165 carloads.

FINANCIAL.

BORROWER AND LENDER. Speaking of people who ask for accommodation at a bank, the American Broker says: "A worthy borrower is not likely to be turned away, but he must expect to be carefully scrutinized. It is neither favor nor condescension on the part of a banker when he grants a loan, nor is the borrower a mendicant. Both borrower and lender are, for business purposes, on the same level. If the borrower's representations are true and the banker feels that he can rely on them, the only question is as to how much interest the borrower is ready to pay for the credit accommodation which he needs."

COMMERCIAL.

FIRM SALMON MARKET. A writer in the New England Grocer says of the salmon market:

"The rapid growth of the fisheries of the United States has placed us far in the lead of any other nation. The packing of salmon on the Pacific Coast was begun in 1866, when the pack of the Columbia River salmon amounted to about 4000 cases. In 1874 the pack had grown to a total of 450,000 cases. This same year canning companies began using the catch of salmon of the Sacramento River, the outside river and Puget Sound, a branch of the Columbia River, and also salmon sent from Alaska. These two latter districts took the total pack of salmon for the year up to 493,747 cans. From the very start of this industry up to the present time a yearly increase has been made, with the exception of a very few years. The pack of the Columbia River salmon showed a large decrease last year. The loss is attributed to several causes. The chief factor that is playing havoc with the industry is the increased shipments of frozen salmon. The fish are now being bought from the fishermen by dealers who freeze them for shipment. This process is not nearly as expensive as it is to can them. Tin, solder and lead have materially advanced. This is a setback to the canneries, as the demend for salmon from the other source has opened up competition. These freezing establishments can pay higher prices than the canners, therefore they can control the entire output.

"It is not thought that there will be any shipments of 1900 Columbia River canned Chinook salmon before July, owing to the fact that the freezers will take everything that the boats bring in up to that period. The freezers have made a vast change in the business. They now practically absorb all the bluebacks and steelheads, and are cutting heavily into the Chinook. This industry evidently has a bright future in store for it. Chilled salmon have been sent to several of the markets of the world, Germany being one worthy of mention.

"Another reason given for the falling off in the Columbia River pack for 1899 is that the river was very high and cold, and it is a well-known fact that salmon do not enter water until it becomes warm, which only occurs when the water is either low or of a moderate stage. Columbia River salmon will probably open high this year, under a light supply and good demand.

"Very little, if any, improvement is looked for in the pack of 1900 Sacramento River fish, as there is only a limited supply of salmon at best, and as there is talk of starting a freezing establishment on the Sacramento, the pack will decrease, rather than increase. The increase in the consumption of salmon for 1899 far exceeded all expectations. It is reported that there is practically no salmon left in first handsat any price, which means a good healthy market until the pack of 1900 is available.

"The British government has been a large buyer through its comissary department. The United States government has also been a heavy purchaser, in fact, the salmon rations for the troops have been almost doubled. Salmon have been so scarce that the fisheries in Nova Scotia have started in canning their catch. It is stated that lots of this salmon have been sent to the local market with the Columbia River label."

GENERAL BUSINESS TOPICS.

PACIFIC CABLE. "On the part of the Japanese nation the friendliest feeling exists toward this country," writes Kaha Otani in the Independent. "The proper effort will bring about a large increase of commercial exchange between America and Japan, to the great profit of both countries alike. I am desirous of seeing these trade relations encouraged in every way. An era of progress and prosperity has dawned for Japan, and it is the ambition of her statesmen that there shall be no backward step. Japan produces much that this country is compelled to import, and this country can supply a great deal that cannot be produced in Japan.

"Since I have visited Europe I am better able to judge where lie the real interests of Japan in a commercial sense. In Europe today one cannot fail to note the common feeling of uncertainty. It permeates all business. Governmental authorities may attempt to bolster up the situation, but there is, among high and low, an apparent lack of confidence, and in commercial spheres there is no attempt to disguise the feeling of dread as to the future.

"Commercial men of that continent do not feel secure—their tone indicates a state of mind which has reference to something that may happen—something that will spread turmoil over Europe. That very feeling must necessarily have a serious effect from a commercial standpoint, and, not to take advantage of that feeling will be akin to careless indifference on the part of the United States.

"How does this country communicate with the Orient today? Through Europe—through a continent that may be plunged at any time into a general embroilment. What America needs is direct communication with the nations of the Asiatic coast. In the event of war it can readily be seen that it lies with Europe to cut off communication between America and Asia. Europe should not be master of the sole line of communication, and it is of the highest importance that a cable should be laid between America and the Orient without unnecessary delay. It is needed in this country's commercial life; it is demanded by reason of this country's new possessions in the East.

"If the government of the United States be willing, Japan stands ready to join in the enterprise—to assume a part of the burden of expense, even as she will share in the benefits. Today, in my judgment, the United States is the most powerful nation on the globe, and it is destined to go on with tremendous strides. There is security here along with wealth. The nation is strong, its commerce does not tremble, and its brainy men who seek the expansion of trade will look to the Orient as to a land of promise."

LOCAL BUSINESS. R. G. Dun & Co.'s monthly review of trade conditions for March in Southern California says: "Quarterly reviews show that thus far the year's volume of business has been larger than a year ago. Various centers report business good, but best returns come from the Southern States. Generally speaking, favorable features of the trade situation reported for the last few months continue. The price situation is encouraging. Cereals show a slight upward swing. Foreign merchandise exports for March were unusually large. Railroad earnings show good advances. Money is easy and the speculative market naturally more active.

"In our immediate district the month brought little change in the outlook. The die is evidently cast for another dry year. The precipitation for the season has not differed materially from preceding parch years. Grain crops will be short all through Southern California. In the most favored localities the estimates for the hay crop is one-quarter to one-half a crop.

"Deciduous fruit trees are well set. The weather has been forcing, and apricots especially are well advanced. Unless caught by late frosts, which is unlikely, the crop should be good.

"The bean market is firm; it is seven months to a new crop; meantime consumption and seed demands must be met, and sellers feel justified in pushing prices up.

"Beet planting is progressing. The situation to date is not discouraging.

"The last of the celery crop has gone forward. The crop did not reach 1000 carloads, as anticipated. Growers are already bestirring to prepare for next season's planting. Estimates place the probable acreage at 2000.

Oranges are still being shipped, the run now mostly in seedlings. About 11,000 carloads of citrus fruits have already been moved. Probably 3000 carloads still remain unshipped. Both orange and lemon markets are at present in good shape.

"Dried fruit and nut market dull, but stocks are so moderate prices are steady.

"Stocks of canned goods are light. Canners are preparing for large pack.

"Interest in oil developments continues, and speculative transactions increase.

"Jobbers report fairly active distribution, with average collections. The retail trade has been good. Building is fairly active, but there is a very unsatisfactory condition of the lumber market.

"Failures for the month were fourteen, with liabilities at $32,000; and assets $16,000.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKETS.

LOS ANGELES MARKETS.

Provisions are very firm, lard firmer, and salt pork higher.

Wool is very dull at 8 cents for common to 10 cents for good. A clip of extra good for Southern California might command, possibly, as high as 12 cents.

There is a small jobbing demand for dried fruits and nuts, but it cannot be called active.

Eggs are not moving so freely as the last week in Lent would give reason to expect. Receipts are fairly free and decline on the announcement that the company's principal competitor had advanced the price of refined sugars to a parity. The stock sold off again with the general weakness of the market. Third Avenue shot up nearly ten points on the announcement that its bond issue had been placed. A long-standing short interest was forced to take losses and close out, after which the stock relapsed somewhat. Realising by the Brooklyn transit pool forced the stock down 4½ points from the early high level. The metal stocks were under bear pressure, especially steel and wire. The bears circulated rumors that difficulties had been encountered in the projected listing of the stock on the London stock exchange. Continental tobacco suffered from rumors of a poor showing of earnings to be made in the annual report which is expected tomorrow. The Pacific stocks suffered specially from bear pressure and realising, and the grangers were somewhat affected by the forecasts of the government crop report which had a bullish effect on the wheat market. The signs of discouragement on the part of the manipulators for the advance, accentuated the reactionary tendency as the day progressed and some sharp net losses in railroad stocks are the result. A further rise in sterling exchange led to a discussion of the prospect of an outward movement of gold. The continued use of money here would favor such a movement, but the taking up in the installment of the British loan which stiffened today's money market in London, may be followed by a relaxation in money rates there and a sympathetic response in sterling exchange here. The bond market was moderately quiet and price changes were irregular. Total sales, par value, $2,590,000. United States new 4s declined ¼, and the old 4s advanced ¾ and the 5s ½ in the bid price.

Closing Stocks—Actual Sales.

Atchison	28⅞	Union Pac. pfd	76¼
Atchison pfd	70⅜	Wabash	8
Baltimore & Ohio	85	Wabash pfd	25
Canadian Pacific	107⅜	Wheeling & L. E.	10⅞
Canada Southern	56½	W. & L. E. 2d pfd	30½
Chesa. & Ohio	43	Wis. Central	18½
Chicago G. W.	14¼	Express Co's—	
C. B. & Quincy	129¾	Adams	117
C. I. & L.	36⅞	American	145
C. I. & L. pfd	88	United States	41½
C. & E. Illinois	102½	Wells-Fargo	122
Chicago & N. W.	162	Miscellaneous—	
C. R. I. & Pacific	112	Am. Cot. Oil	37
C. C. C. & St. L.	63⅜	Am. Cot. Oil pfd	90
Colorado Southern	6¼	Am. Malting	4¾
Colo. So. 1st pfd	43¼	Am. Malting pfd	21
Colo. So. 2d pfd	17	Am. S. & R.	25⅝
Del. & Hudson	117	Am. S. & R. pfd	89¾
D. L. & Western	180½	Am. Spirits	3¼
Denver & R. G.	7	Spirits pfd	17
D. & R. G. pfd	73¼	Am. Steel Hoop	32
Erie	14	Am. Steel Hoop pfd	78
Erie 1st pfd	31⅝	Am. Sugar	124
Great N. pfd	183	Am. Sugar pfd	116
Hocking Coal	18⅝	Am. Tin Plate	32¾
Hocking Valley	39⅝	Am. Tin Plate pfd	93¾
Illinois Central	119½	Anaconda M. Co.	63⅜
Iowa Central	18½	Brooklyn R. T.	74⅛
Iowa Cen. pfd	54¼	Colo. Fuel & I.	46⅞
K. C., F. S. & Gulf	25	Cont'l Tobacco	18⅝
Lake Erie & W.	22⅝	Cont'l Tob. pfd	41¼
L. E. & W. pfd	97	Federal Steel	47¼
Lake Shore	195½	Federal S. pfd	72⅜
Louis. & Nash.	84⅝	Gen. Electric	138
Manhattan L.	97¼	Glucose Sugar	51½
Met. St. Ry.	169¾	G. Sugar pfd	98¾
Mexican Central	13	Int'l Paper	16¾
Minn. & St. L.	67	Int'l Paper pfd	64
M. & St. L. pfd	93	Laclede Gas	70
Missouri Pacific	54½	Nat'l Biscuit	34¾
Mobile & Ohio	46¾	Nat'l B. pfd	98
M., R. & Texas	11⅜	Nat'l Lead	24½
M., K. & T. pfd	34⅝	Nat'l Lead pfd	104½
N. J. Central	119½	Nat'l Steel	41
N. Y. Central	136⅝	Nat'l Steel pfd	91
Norfolk & W.	25¾	N. Y. Air Brake	122
N. & W. pfd	77¼	North American	15¼
Northern Pacific	59⅝	Pacific Coast	42½
Northern Pac. pfd	70¾	P. C. 1st pfd	81
Ontario & W.	25¾	P. C. 2d pfd	63½
Or. Ry. & Nav.	44	Pacific Mail	35
Or. Ry. & N. pfd	77	People's Gas	107⅜
Pennsylvania	139½	Pressed S. Car	36¾
Reading	19¾	P. S. Car pfd	82
Reading 1st pfd	34	Pull. Palace Car	183
Reading 2d pfd	24	Standard R. & T.	5¾
Rio Grande W.	23½	Sugar	109¾
Rio Grande W. pfd	67	Sugar pfd	109
St. Louis & S. F.	11¾	Tenn. Coal & I.	78⅜
St. L. 1st pfd	70½	U. S. Leather	12⅜
St. L. 2d pfd	37¾	U. S. L. pfd	78
St. Louis, S. W.	12⅜	U. S. Rubber	23
St. L., S. W. pfd.	32½	U. S. R. pfd	100
St. Paul	172¾	Western Union	83½
St. Paul pfd	172½	Wheeling Steel	24¾
St. Paul & O.	117	R. I. & S. pfd	64
Southern Pacific	34½	P. C. C. & St. L.	67
So. Railway	14½	Third Avenue	116½
So. Railway pfd	39¾		
Texas & Pacific	15¾		
Union Pacific	57⅞		

Total sales, 713,200 shares.

Bond List.

U. S. Refund. 2s	*103	N. J. C. Gen. 5s	124
U. S. 2s reg	95½	N. C. 6s	127
U. S. 2s coup	95½	N. C. 4s	103
U. S. 5s coup	110¼	N. P. 3s	65½
U. S. n. 4s reg	123	N. P. 4s	104⅜
U. S. n. 4s coup	124	N. Y. C. & St. L.	106
U. S. old 4s reg	114⅝	N. & W. Con. 4s	92⅝
U. S. old 4s coup	114⅝	N. & W. Gen. 6s	123
U. S. 5s reg	114	Nor. Pac. 1sts	113
U. S. 5s coup	114	Or. Nav. 4s	104½
D. of C. 3 65s	120	Or. S. L. 6s	124
Atchison, Gen. 4s	100⅜	Or. S. L. Con. 5s	114½
Atchison, Adj. 4s	84⅝	Reading Gen. 4s	83⅜
Can. So. 2ds	107	R. G. W. 1sts	89¼
C. & O. 5s	122	St. L. & S. F. 6s	119½
C. & O. 5s	122	St. L. & S. F. 4s	126⅜
C. & N. W. 7s	142½	St. Paul Consols	172
C. & N. W. 5s	122	St. P., C. & P. 1s	119½
Chicago Ter. 4s	96½	St. P., C. & P. 5s	117⅝
D. & R. G. 1sts	103½	So. Railway 5s	113
D. & R. G. 4s	89¾	S. R. & T. 5s	73
East Tenn. 1sts	102⅜	Tenn. N. I. 6s	107
Erie Gen. 4s	74⅝	T. & P. 1sts	114
Fort Worth 1sts	97	T. & P. M. 6s	117
Gen. Elec. 5s	117¼	Union Pacific 4s	106½
G. H. & S. A. 6s	*110½	Wabash 1sts	115⅞
G. H. & S. A. 2ds	108	Wabash 2ds	104
H. & T. Cen. 5s	110	West Shore 4s	115
H. & T. Con. 6s	108	Wis. Cen. 1sts	92⅜
Iowa Cen. 1sts	*101	Virginia Centuries	91
K. C., F. & G. 1sts	73⅜	Virginia dfd	5
La. N. C. 4s	107	Colo. So. 4s	84½
L. & N. Un. 4s	101	So. Pacific 4s	85
M., K. & T. 2ds	69¼		
M., K. & T. 4s	93¼		
N. Y. C. 1sts	110¼		

*Offered.
**When issued.

Boston Stocks and Bonds.

Money—		Union Land	2½
Call loans	3½@4½	West End	93
Time loans	4@5	Wis. Central	18½
Stocks—		Bonds—	
A., T. & S. F.	28¾	Atchison 4s	100¼
Atchison, pfd	70¾	N. E. 6s C. 5s	69
Am. Sugar	109	Mining shares—	
Am. Sugar pfd	110	Adventure	5½
Bell Telephone	316	Allouez M. Co	2
Boston & Albany	245½	Amal. Copper	95
Boston Elevated	115	Atlantic	26
C., B. & Quincy	129½	Boston & Mont	320
Dominion Coal	43½	Butte & Boston	80
Dom. Coal pfd	115	Calumet & Hecla	750
Federal Steel	47	Centennial	22½
Federal S. pfd	72¾	Franklin	15¾
Fitchburg pfd	135½	Humboldt	11
Gen. Electric	132	Osceola	70
Gen. Elec. pfd	196	Parrot	47½
Edi. Elec. Ill	305	Quincy	138
Mexican Central	12⅝	Santa Fe Copper	6¾
N. E. Gas & Coke	17⅜	Tamarack	193
Old Colony	206	Utah Mining	23½
Old Dominion	22¼	Wolverines	40½
Union Pacific	57¾		

New York Money.

NEW YORK, April 10.—Close: Money on call, steady at 3@4 per cent.; last loan, 4 per cent.; prime mercantile paper, 4½@5 per cent.; sterling exchange strong with actual business in bankers' bills, 4.87½@4.87⅝ for demand, and 4.83¾ for sixty days. Posted rates, 4.84¼@4.84½ and 4.88. Commercial bills, 4.83¼@4.83⅝. Silver certificates, 60¼@63¾. Bar silver, 59½. Mexican dollars, 47¾. Government bonds, irregular. State bonds, inactive. Railroad bonds, irregular.

Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, April 10.—Today's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund, exclusive of the $150,000,000 reserve in the Division of Redemption, shows: Available cash balance, $159,348,009; gold, $94,988,216.

London Silver.

LONDON, April 10.—Consols, 101 5-16; silver, 27⅝.

GENERAL EASTERN MARKETS

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

CHICAGO, April 10.—Wheat began firm, May ¼c over yesterday, at 67@67⅛. Paris was higher, and the Michigan condition was put at 64 per cent. Ordinarily such items would have received but little notice, but as there was no early news of another sort, traders took what they could get and acted upon it. The market touched 68⅛, following the opening, but receded later, helped by Bradstreet's decrease in the world's visible and the strength of corn. May ascending to 67⅞. The close was firm, May ½@⅝c up at 67⅛. The market was narrow and mostly local in character. Corn was strong, but rather dull. The market was a small one. May closed ⅛@¼c over yesterday. Oats followed corn. May closed firm ¼c up. Provisions were active and strong, although hogs were easier. Liverpool was higher for bacon, lard and ham, which was a consideration, but the market owed its strength to the heavy cash demand. July product made a record for high prices, just for that month touching 13.15, lard 7.10 and ribs 7.10. May pork closed 25 cents over yesterday; May lard, 17½@20 cents up, and May ribs 2½@5c better.

The leading futures closed as follows:

Wheat, No. 2—	Closing.
April	67
May	67⅛
July	68⅝@68¾
September	69
Corn, No. 2—	
April	39¼
May	39⅛@40
July	40⅝
September	41¼
Oats, No. 2—	
May	24⅜
July	24⅛@24¼
September	23⅜

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour was steady; No. 3 spring wheat, 64@66; No. 2 red, 69¼@70; No. 2 corn, 39¾; No. 2 oats, 23¼@23¾; No. 2 white, 27¼@28¼; No. 3 white, 27¼@28¼; No. 2 rye, 57; No. 2 barley, 40¼@44; No. 1 flax seed, 1.73; prime timothy seed, 2.25@2.40; mess pork, per bbl., 12.25@12.65; lard, per 100 lbs., [illegible]

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salted shoulders (boxed,) 6¾@7; short clear sides (boxed,) 7.25@7.35; whisky, distillers' finished goods, per gal., 1.25¼.

Grain Movements.

Articles—	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, barrels	29,000	49,000
Wheat, bushels	85,000	101,000
Corn, "	357,000	192,000
Oats, "	570,000	334,000
Rye, "	16,000	2,000
Barley, "	56,000	19,000

On the Produce Exchange today the butter market was easy; creamery, 14@18; dairy, 13@16; cheese, firm, 12@13; eggs, steady, 10¾.

Advance in Sugar.

NEW YORK, April 10.—Arbuckle Brothers today advanced the price of refined sugar 5 cents per hundred pounds. Two weeks ago the Arbuckles cut the price of refined sugar 5 cents per hundred pounds. This reduction was made directly after an advance in the price of raw sugar. The American Sugar Refining Company did not follow, and the advance by the Arbuckles today brings their price back to that of the Havemeyer company. Orders were received today at the Williamsburg refineries of the American Sugar Refining Company to store sugar, and 20,000 barrels were shipped to Buffalo, where the company has a storehouse that will hold 60,000 barrels. The order to store sugar was interpreted by the employes as a determination to close down all the refineries now in operation. It also was taken to mean that the Brooklyn Sugar Refinery, which shut down six weeks ago, will not be reopened for a long time. In the local storehouses, it is said that 170,000 barrels of refined sugar are already stored.

Boston Wool Market.

BOSTON, April 10.—The wool market here continues dull, with slow sales, and values are rather easier as a whole. Bids on the basis of 55 cents cleaned are being freely made for good lines of fine medium and fine and Territory wools and were dealers disposed to sell at this price, large blocks would change hands. Fleece wools are quiet, but sales of Ohio are reported at 33 cents with fine Ohio delaine at 35 cents. Quotations: Unwashed medium, etc., Missouri quarter blood combing, 26@27½c; three-eighths blood, 26@27½c; half combing, 22@25. Territory wools, Montana and Dakota fine, medium and fine, 22½@23½; scoured, 57@58; Utah and Wyoming fine medium and fine, 19@20; scoured, 55@57; staple, 63@65; Idaho, fine medium and fine, 18@19; scoured, 55@57; medium, 20@23; scoured, 53@54.

London Financial Market.

NEW YORK, April 10.—The Commercial Advertiser's London financial cablegram says: The markets here were neglected but steady today. Business is likely to be dead until next week. Americans were very idle, but had both the continent and London buying slightly. New York took some Norfolk and Western and Baltimore and Ohio, picking the former up in the street and then letting it drop. Copper shares were steady. The bank bought £22,000 gold in bars. Money was hard. The bank did a fair business in loans at 5 per cent. and considerable discounting."

California Dried Fruits.

NEW YORK, April 10.—While not particularly active, the market for evaporated apples developed considerable steadiness of undertone, in view of the light supply on hand and better country advices. The market, however, remains unchanged as to price. California dried fruits exhibited little energy, ruling dull at unchanged prices. State evaporated apples, common, 4½@5c; prime, 5¾@6c; choice 7@7½c; fancy, 7¾@8c. California dried prunes, 3½. Apricots, Royal, 12@15; Moorpark, 15@18. Peaches, peeled, 18@22; unpeeled, 7½@9c.

New York Metal Market.

NEW YORK, April 10.—The local market for tin reacted from yesterday's decline to 30.50 @30.75, a net rise of 25 points. The advance was due chiefly to favorable advices from London and the scarcity of sellers. The close was firmer, but quiet at 30.50@30.75. Lake copper continues to hold firm and unchanged. Spelter warrants were dull and nominal. Lead ruled dull and nominally unchanged; closing at the old basis of 4.67½ bid and 4.72½ asked. Spelter was steady and unchanged, closing 4.72½ bid and 4.77½ asked. Brokers' price for lead 4.45 and for copper 17.25@17.50.

Closing Quotations.

CHICAGO, April 10.—Close: Wheat—April, 67; May, 67⅛@67⅜; July, 68¾@68⅝; September, 69. Corn—April, 39¼; May, 39¾@40. Oats—April, 24¼; May, 24⅜. Pork—April, 13.05; May, 13.05. Lard—April and May, 7.00. Ribs—April and May, 7.15@7.17½. Cash: Wheat—No. 2, red, 69½ @70¾; No. 3, red, 67@68; No. 2 hard winter, 67; No. 3, hard winter, 66@67; No. 1 northern spring, 67¾@69; No. 2 northern spring, 67@68; No. 3, spring, 63@64¾. Corn, No. 2, 39¾; No. 2 yellow, 39¾. Oats, No. 2, 24¾; No. 3, 24¼. Rye, No. 2, 55¾ @56. Barley, 38@45. Timothy, 2.40. Flax, 1.73.

Available Supplies.

NEW YORK, April 10.—Special cable and telegraphic communications to Bradstreet's show the following changes in available supplies, as compared with last account: Wheat, United States and Canada, east of the Rockies, decreased 2,577,000 bushels. Liverpool Corn Trade News, afloat for and in Europe, increase 2,100,000 bushels; total supply, decrease, 477,000. Corn, United States and Canada, east of the Rockies, decrease 1,457,000 bushels.

Liverpool Grain.

LIVERPOOL, April 10.—Wheat, spot firm, No. 2 red western winter, 6s 5d; No. 1 northern spring, 6s ½d; futures steady; May, 5s 10¼d; July, 5s 10¾d. Corn, spot American, mixed, new, steady, 4s 2d; old firm, 4s 3¼d; futures steady; May, 4s 2¼d; July, 4s 1d; September, 4s 1¾d.

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, April 10.—Butter—Receipts, 9400 packages; firm; western creamery, 17@20; factory, 16@17½. Eggs—Receipts, 24,987 packages; firm; storage, western at mark, 12¼@ 13¾; regular packing, 13¼.

Winter Wheat's Condition.

WASHINGTON, April 10.—The condition of winter wheat is 82.1, against 77.9 in April, 1899; winter rye, 84.

Portland Wheat Market.

PORTLAND (Or.,) April 10.—Wheat, steady. Walla Walla, 54@55; valley, 54; blue stem, 57.

Tacoma Wheat Market.

TACOMA, April 10. — Wheat market, firm. Blue stem, 56; club, 54; both for export.

Copper and Lead.

NEW YORK, April 10.—Copper firm and unchanged. Lead, dull and unchanged.

Oil Transactions.

OIL CITY, April 10.—Credit balances, 1.57; certificates, cash oil, 1.54.

Hops, Hides and Wool.

NEW YORK, April 10.—Hops, steady. Hides, firm. Wool, quiet.

Liverpool Cotton.

LIVERPOOL, April 10.—Cotton, uplands, 5 7-16d.

EASTERN LIVE-STOCK MARKET.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

DENVER, April 10.—Cattle—Receipts, 1600; market slow, but steady; beef steers, 4.15@ 4.60; cows, 2.00@4.20; feeders, freight paid to river, 3.50@3.90; stockers, freight paid, 3.75@ 5.00; bulls, stags, etc., 2.00@3.00. Hogs—Receipts, 300; market steady; light packers and mixed, 5.25@5.30; heavy, 5.00@5.20. Sheep—Receipts, none.

Omaha Live-stock Market.

OMAHA (Neb.,) April 10.—Cattle—Receipts, 4700; market shade lower; native beef steers, 4.35@5.35; cows and heifers, 3.25@4.50; canners, 2.25@3.25; stockers and feeders, 3.60@5.10; calves, 3.50@7.00; bulls, stags, etc., 2.75@3.80. Hogs—Receipts, 4200; market shade to 5c higher; heavy, 5.40@5.47½; mixed, 5.37½@5.40; light, 5.35 @5.40; pigs, 4.75@5.25; bulk of sales, 5.37½@5.40. Sheep—Receipts, 4800; market strong; yearlings, 5.85@6.25; western muttons, 5.70@6.15; stock sheep, 4.50@5.25; lambs, 6.00@7.15.

Kansas City Live-stock Market.

KANSAS CITY, April 10.—Cattle—Receipts, 10,000; market steady; native steers, 4.00@5.35; Texas steers, 3.75@4.80; Texas cows, 2.50@3.40; native cows and heifers, 2.90@4.35; stockers and feeders, 4.00@5.25; bulls, 3.00@3.85. Hogs—Receipts, 14,000; market weak; bulk of sales, 5.35 @5.45; heavy, 5.30@5.50; packers, 5.30@5.47½; mixed, 5.20@5.45; light, 5.15@5.40; porkers, 5.25 @5.40; pigs, 4.00@5.25. Sheep—Receipts, 2000; strong; lambs, 5.00@7.50; muttons, 4.60@5.60.

Chicago Live-stock Market.

CHICAGO, April 10.—Cattle—Receipts, 2500; generally steady; natives, good to prime steers, 5.10@5.90; poor to medium, 4.25@5.00; selected feeders, 4.25@4.90; mixed stockers, 3.50@4.00; cows, 2.00@4.40; heifers, 3.15@4.80; canners, 2.25 @2.80; bulls, 2.75@4.50; calves lower, 4.25@6.50; Texas-fed steers, 4.00@5.40; Texas bulls, 3.25@ 3.75. Hogs—Receipts today, 25,000; estimated tomorrow, 25,000; left over, 4000; average shade lower; mixed and butchers, 5.40@5.67½; good to choice heavy, 5.55@5.70; rough, heavy, 5.40 @5.50; light, 5.35@5.60; bulk of sales, 5.50@5.65. Sheep—Receipts not given. Sheep strong; lambs about steady; good to choice wethers, 6.20@6.50; fair to choice mixed, 5.90@6.10; western sheep, 6.00@6.50; yearlings, 6.60@6.75; native lambs, 5.50@7.55; western lambs, 6.00@ 7.55.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, April 10.—Wheat inactive; spot quiet; barley quiet; oats steady and quiet. Hay market quiet; bran and middlings steady. Beans firm. Strawberries weaker; oranges steady; apples dull. Potatoes weak; onions nominal; asparagus steady; rhubarb easy; green peppers and cucumbers shade lower; Mexican tomatoes steady. No improvement in the prices of butter; cheese weak; store eggs weak; ranch eggs fairly firm. Good demand for poultry.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, April 10.—Flour—Net cash prices: Superfine, 2.75@3.00; extra, No. 1, 3.00@3.25; family extra, 3.25@3.50; city mills, 3.75@4.00; Oregon, 3.50@3.75; Washington, 3.00@3.50 per bbl.

Wheat—Shipping wheat is quotable at 95@ 95½; milling, 96½@1.01½.

Barley—Feed is quotable at 71¼@73¾ per ctl.; brewing, 80@82½ per ctl.; Chevalier, nominal.

Oats—Red, 95@1.15 for feed; white, 1.05@1.12½ for poor to fair, 1.15@1.25 for good to choice, 1.37½ for fancy; black, 97@1.05; Oregon gray, 1.07½@1.12½ for feed and 1.15@1.17½ for milling.

Middlings—Quotable at 17.00@20.00.

Mixed feed—14.00@15.00 per ton.

Rolled barley—Quotable at 15.00@17.00 per ton.

Oatmeal—4.25 per 100 lbs.

Oat groats—4.50 per 100 lbs.

Rolled oats—6.00@7.25 per bbl. for wood and 5.75@7.00 for sacks.

Hay—Quotable as follows: Wheat, 6.00@10.00 per ton; wheat and oat, 6.00@9.00; oat, 5.50@ 8.00; barley, 5.00@7.00; alfalfa, 5.00@6.50; stock, nominal; compressed hay, 7.00@8.50 per ton.

Straw—Quotable at 25@40 per bale.

Beans—Pink, 2.75@2.90; Lima, 5.20@5.30; small white, 3.35@3.50; large white, 3.15@3.25.

Potatoes — Early Rose, 60@65; Oregon Burbanks, 50@55; river Burbanks, 40@45; Salinas Burbanks, ——; river reds, nominal; Merced sweets, 2.00; new, 1¼@2.

Vegetables—Green peas, 1.00@1.50; string beans, 6@8; egg plant, 8; green peppers, 15@17½; tomatoes, 1.00@1.75; summer squash, 75@1.25; dried okra, 5@6½; asparagus, 75@1.25; rhubarb, 50@1.00; garlic, 2½@3¾; cucumbers, 50@1.00.

Fruit—Fancy apples, 1.50@2.25; common, 75.

Berries—Strawberries, 15@20.

Citrus fruits—Oranges, navels, 1.25@2.00; seedlings, 75@1.50; Mexican limes, 5.00@5.50; common California lemons, 1.00; good to choice, 1.25 @1.50; fancy, 2.00@2.50.

Tropical fruits — Bananas, 1.25@2.25; pineapples, ——; Smyrna figs, 14@17; Persian dates, 5¼ @6.

Butter—Fancy creamery, 17; seconds, 16@16½; fancy dairy, 15¼@16; seconds, 13@15.

Cheese—New, California, 7@8; eastern, 16¼@17; Young America, 10@8½; western, nominal.

Eggs—Ranch, 15@16½; store, 12½@14.

Poultry—Live turkeys, 10@11; dressed, nominal; old roosters, 4.25@4.50; young roosters, 6.00 @6.50; small broilers, 2.50@3.50; large broilers, 4.50@5.00; fryers, 5.50@6.00; heavy fryers, 6.00@6.50; ducks, old, ——; geese, 1.75@2.00; goslings, 2.25@ 2.75; pigeons, old, 1.75@2.00; young, 1.75@2.00.

San Francisco Mining Stocks.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 10.—The official closing quotations for mining stocks today were as follows:

Alta	4	Kentuck Con	1
Alpha Con	4	Mexican	35
Andes	4	Occidental Con	7
Belcher	30	Ophir	78
Best & Belcher	20	Overman	22
Bullion	3	Potosi	14
Caledonia	195	Savage	11
Challenge Con	20	Sag Belcher	4
Chollar	14	Sierra Nevada	64
Confidence	70	Silver Hill	13
Con. Cal. & Va	170	Standard	310
Deadwood	18	Union Con	33
Gould & Curry	27	Utah Con	12
Hale & Norcross	33	Yellow Jacket	28
Justice	5		

Receipts.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 10.—Receipts—Flour, quarter sacks, 16,988; Oregon, 8643; wheat, centals, 15,630; barley, centals, 4355; oats, 440; beans, sacks, 602; corn, centals, 290; potatoes, sacks, 2190; Oregon, 6315; onions, sacks, 237; bran, sacks, 1600; middlings, 1

outhern California by Towns and Counties.

PASADENA.

NGELES CONSTABLE TAKES ODS WITHOUT WARRANT.

Role of a Junk Dealer Who d Himself to Other Persons' erty—Sewer Bond Election Now Death of E. Homer Trecartin w York—Council Meeting.

DENA, April 10.—[Regular ondence.] J. Fischer of Los , a junk dealer who wears the a deputy constable, was taken tody today while helping him- a wagonload of glazed window lled rope, old chains and other at the old car barns, corner avenue and Illinois streets. has bought considerable junk he electric railway company familiar with the premises, en he made his regular trip dena today he called at the nd proceeded to take such ma- s he wanted. Marshal Lacey elephoned for and overtook in time to force him to unload ds. As the man had not suc- in getting away with the ma- and as he appeared penitent omised to be honest in the fu- o complaint was sworn to him and he was released. er told the Marshal that he was rong in taking the stuff and d, of course, that he had been in the act. He said he was a house in Los Angeles and the material to complete the re. The Marshal was chagrined inability to prosecute the man cher returned to Los Angeles, it is said he is of some assist- the police in the capture of and where he has had troubles own in the police courts.

EETING OF COUNCIL.

Council meeting this morning inance was passed increasing ary of the City Clerk from $1200 per year. Arrangements were ith the electric lighting com- hanging some of the lighting ens adopted at the last meet- providing that where a fire box cannot be designated at by a red incandescent lamp, the e lamp shall be marked with and about the top of the globe. inance was passed calling for ction on May 11 of fifteen free- to draft a new city charter. Attorney reported an ordi- declaring the forfeiture of a ise held by the street railway the operation of cars on North ngo avenue. As the company been at work rebuilding the old on that avenue between and Fair Oaks streets, the Mar- was instructed to order the work ed.

OND ELECTION NOW ON.

a sewer-bond election will be held nday and votes will be cast at ame polling places as on Mon- A two-thirds vote is necessary ry the bond issue and the of the improvement are ex- to run out in force. The senti- in favor of the construction of is practically unanimous, the osition to the bond issue be- n persons who think that the is not the best. If the bond ails to carry, it is said that the uncil will take up the matter at and order the construction of under the Vrooman act at a ater cost to property-owners a slower and less satisfactory

PROVED CAR SERVICE.

ter-goers of Pasadena now have edit if improved electric serv- n Los Angeles. Since the Los and Pasadena Railway ab- the line which runs from Tem- ct to the Arcade station, the rs which operate on that line en housed in the Pasadena Instead of running the ck "light," one of them stands Orpheum entrance at the close evening's performance, and n Pasadena passengers, while er car leaves from the Fourth- station about 11 o'clock. Thus re three cars leaving Los An- within a few minutes of each The blue cars which formerly d on the Arcade station line e in service on the Altadena ing been replaced by smaller on the foothill line.

ASADENA BRIEFINGS.

egotiations are about to be ed for the sale of the Ward y, is true, but nothing can be at this time as to the pur- r. W. Smith's name is men- the lumber buyer, but it is not that he is the man. The old structure at the southwest cor- Colorado street and Fair Oaks n will give way, however, ern brick building, and it that the electric railway line ue to occupy the corner as and general office.

American Club is perfecting it- first movements, preparatory ttendance at the Republican Convention in Los Angeles on ning of the 25th inst., and the rs of the different companies club have received notices to for drill. Tonight Capt. Col- Co. A put his men through a drill, and Co. C will drill tomor- night. On the 19th inst the club attend the Riverside street fair. Washington Booth of the Vol- rs of America delivered a lecture at the Hotel Green. She was duced by the Rev. Robert J. Bur- and told of the humanitarian in the persons of the country is being carried on by the organ- r and of which her husband is the ent leaders.

many Pasadena and Los Angeles s of E. Homer Trecartin will be to hear of his death, which oc- on the 2d inst. in New York Ex-Trecartin spent several win- Pasadena, was a member of the Club and for a time was in in Los Angeles. Pneumonia e cause of his death, and he was a short time.

Monday next J. M. Sickler and spouse will begin taking the census of Pasadena by a house- ass canvass. It will take about eeks to complete the enumera- and the statistics will not be made ast ten days after the re- ar was 9265, but it is said this census will show a decrease.

afternoon the work on the new line to the northeast part of was stopped by Marshal Lacey order from the Council. Some residents of Marengo avenue, the work was in progress, ob- to rails being laid, claiming that decided in court. The matter

E. Bickers (colored) pastor friendship Church, collided with while riding his bicycle this morning, and was bruised severely about the body.

Pasadena Commandery, No. 31, Knights Templar, will attend Easter services in Los Angeles, the guests of the commandery of that city.

Stereopticon lecture, "The Rhine in History and Legend," Prof. Stevenson, Tabernacle, Thursday evening. Last number association course.

P. P. Bonham can be found at 38 W. Colorado street. All parties having accounts with the firm will please call and settle.

If your plumbing needs repairing or you want to buy plumbing goods, call on Munger & Griffith Co.

Don't fail to see the exhibition of china painting and water colors, at 194 E. Colorado.

Hot cross buns at McClament's on good Friday. Leave your order today.

Dent's gloves, finger purses, pulley belts. Bon Accord.

Easter gloves. Dorman's.

LONG BEACH.

PROHIBITION TALKED OF.

LONG BEACH, April 10.—[Regular Correspondence.] It is expected that in the near future the prohibition question will be submitted to the voters of Long Beach. Of the new Board of City Trustees there are two holdover members, and three new ones. The three were elected on the citizens' ticket, the platform of which provides for the calling of special elections on the license question under certain conditions. It is provided that if a petition of 25 per cent of the voters, as shown by the poll list of the last preceding election is presented asking for an election, such an election shall be called, if there has been no election held on that question within a year. If a majority of the votes cast at the election be for no license the three new Trustees, who constitute a majority of the board, are pledged to enact a no-license ordinance. If a majority be for license the present ordinance, which in effect allows one saloon, is to remain in force.

Steps have been taken to prepare a petition, and it is expected that one will be submitted to the new board next Monday evening, asking that a special election on the no-license question be called. The fact that the people of Santa Monica have decisively voted in favor of closing all the saloons of that town has attracted a great deal of attention here. The idea that a comparison of Santa Monica without saloons with Long Beach with a saloon might be unfavorable to Long Beach, seems to be spreading.

BAPTIST SOCIETIES.

The new house of worship soon to be acquired by the Baptists of Long Beach will undoubtedly be the permanent meeting place of general organizations of that denomination. The Long Beach Baptist Church has adopted a resolution giving the free use of the building for the annual sessions of the Baptist Assembly of Southern California, the Los Angeles Baptist Association and the Southern California Baptist Convention. The resolution states that the tender is made in consideration of $1000 to be donated by the Baptists of Southern California to the fund for the acquirement of the place of worship in Long Beach. Nearly all of the $1000 is said to have been raised. The general organizations when using the building are to provide only the necessary lighting and heating. If the plan be perfected, as now seems certain, it will bring Long Beach every year three gatherings, each attended by a considerable number of people.

LONG BEACH BREVITIES.

Mrs. W. A. Dana and Miss Eleanor F. Dana of St. Paul, Minn., are staying at the Julian.

Thomas Stovell and numerous others have signed a call for a meeting at the City Hall Thursday evening to form a Republican Club.

SAN PEDRO.

FEWER SALOONS POSSIBLE.

SAN PEDRO, April 10.—[Regular Correspondence.] The idea of having fewer saloons in San Pedro has developed more strength in the new Board of City Trustees than was anticipated. A majority of the board is said to be in favor of materially reducing the number of establishments serving liquors as beverages. How to accomplish such a result is under consideration. One plan proposed is to have a higher rate of license. The present rate of city licenses is $30 per month. Another plan contemplates the refusal of a new license for any place the old license for which has been cancelled. It is also proposed to permanently revoke the license of any saloon conducted in flagrant disregard of the city ordinances. The town now has sixteen saloons, and there are three more on the breakwater just across the inner harbor and outside the city limits.

REDLANDS.

PROHIBITION VICTORY.

REDLANDS, April 10.—[Regular Correspondence.] The city election yesterday was quiet and orderly. The voting was lively for a while in the morning, but dragged on monotonously for the rest of the day. The total vote polled was but 551, which is about half the vote of the city. There were two tickets in the field, one put up by the Prohibitionists, under the name of the "Good Government" ticket, and the other by the Social Democrats. It was a one-sided race, the Prohibitionists electing their full ticket by majorities ranging from 4 to 1 to as much as 11 to 1.

The issue was upon keeping the city "dry," or having it left an open question for decision by initiative and referendum methods of the Populist style. There were a few amusing things in the voting. One vote was found for A. G. Hubbard, the millionaire capitalist, for the office of City Marshall and one was cast for the Union Bank for treasurer.

ANAHEIM.

COUNT DISPUTED.

ANAHEIM, April 10.—[Regular Correspondence.] The election of E. B. Merritt, City Clerk, yesterday, by one vote, is to be contested by M. Webelung, who had the next largest number of votes. It is claimed that several ballots were counted which had been improperly marked, and should have been thrown out. Some of these had been marked for two candidates for the office of clerk and were counted against Webelung. He has asked for an official count.

The residence of Mrs. S. Zeus was broken into last night while the family was absent. A pocketbook containing a small amount of money, and some silverware was stolen from a bureau drawer. The thieves secured entrance by cutting a window screen from its sash.

SAN DIEGO COUNTY.

REVENUE CUTTER IN PORT.

SAN DIEGO, April 10.—[Regular Correspondence.] The United States revenue cutter Manning arrived in port this morning, three months and two days from New York, bound for San Francisco. All on board are well. The officers report a monotonous trip, devoid of special incident. The cutter left Acapulco seven days ago.

THEFTS AT CHURCH.

Two thefts at St. Joseph Catholic Church Sunday last established the fact that all that attended Palm Sunday services were not bent on prayer. Mrs. Mary Smith lost a chatelaine bag containing $8 and a New York draft for $50. The bag was left in the pew, but Mrs. Smith discovered her loss before leaving the church, but upon search the missing article was nowhere to be found. A purse containing $5 in small change was also taken, the money being a mission fund.

SAN DIEGO BREVITIES.

The handsome bell purchased for the Sherman Heights school by Mrs. Sherman in memory of her husband, the late Capt. Matthew Sherman, was on Monday formally presented to the school. The exercises were held at the school. Hon. Moses A. Luce made the presentation address.

The wife of Capt. John Metcalf of Oakland died at Hotel del Coronado today of pneumonia, after a brief illness. Capt. Metcalf arrived this evening.

President M. C. Heallon of the San Diego Flume Company has offered water for irrigating purposes to the Lemon Grove ranchers at 7½ cents per thousand gallons, instead of 10 cents, as previously demanded by the flume company. Irrigators have been forced to accept the offer or lose their strawberry crops, as they are badly in need of water.

Work on the National City cyanide plant is progressing rapidly. The tailings to be treated have been brought from the Cedros Island mine, where it is estimated that 10,000 tons are on the dump.

Municipal elections were held at the sixth class cities of National, Escondido, Coronado and Oceanside Monday. But one ticket was in the field in each of the cities, and in but one or two instances were there two candidates for the same office.

CORONADO BEACH.

BREVITIES AND PERSONALS.

HOTEL DEL CORONADO, April 10. [Regular Correspondence.] Hon. William B. Taft of Cincinnati, president of the Philippine Commission, joined his family yesterday at the home of his sister, Mrs. William A. Edwards of Coronado, where they have awaited his coming for ten days past. The entire party left for Los Angeles this morning en route to San Francisco, from which port they will sail for Manila Sunday next.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Dwight of New York, and party, have returned from a week's stay at Riverside to their Coronado cottage.

Mrs. Hodges, wife of purchasing Agent Hodges of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fé system, left this morning for Los Angeles to meet a party of Chicago friends.

Rev. George E. Keithley, pastor of Graham memorial Church, is attending the session of Los Angeles Presbytery at Redlands.

At the election held in this city yesterday Otto Foster was elected City Clerk, Harvey Bentley treasurer, J. L. Cameron City Marshal, Col. Churchill, C. W. Robinson and A. L. Reed City Trustees, Mrs. F. B. Cossitt, H. B. Crocker, Mrs. Herbert Dabney and George E. Keithley library trustees.

RIVERSIDE COUNTY.

SHEARS MURDER TRIAL BEGUN.

RIVERSIDE, April 10.—[Regular Correspondence.] The second trial of Vernea Shears, who is charged with the murder of George Warner near Valle Vista, on December 10 last, began yesterday afternoon in Judge Noyes's court. The session and all of today was devoted to the selection of a jury from a venire of 100 and a special venire of thirty. Dist.-Atty. Evans is conducting the prosecution, and the defendant is represented by Gibson & Gill and T. T. Porteous. Shears and Warner quarreled over some slighting remark Shears is alleged to have made about a young girl. They came to blows, and Warner knocked Shears down. The latter then went to his wagon, seized his gun and shot Warner, killing him almost instantly.

PASSING OF BRYAN.

Several hundred people assembled at the Santa Fé station at noon today to see Bryan pass through on his way from San Diego to San Bernardino. A big basket of oranges and orange blossoms bearing a card marked, "To William Jennings Bryan from Riverside, Cal.," was presented to the Nebraskan. A number of Riversiders went to San Bernardino to hear him speak. During the train's short stay Bryan spoke to the crowd from the car platform. His remarks ran about like this:

"Beware, my friends, of the pickpocket. The only difference between the pickpocket and the Republican party is that the pickpocket steals on a small scale and the Republican party steals on a large scale," whereat a few admirers cheered, and the train pulled out for San Bernardino.

RIVERSIDE BREVITIES.

M. R. Griffith, a young tourist from Portland, Me., was assaulted yesterday afternoon in the Riverside No. 10 packing-house, by an employé named E. B. Miller. Griffith was visiting the packing-houses in company with A. M. Aldrich. He had a kodak with him, and Miller was told that Griffith had taken a snapshot picture of him, at which he took offense. Griffith denied that he had taken a picture, when Miller struck him and continued to pummel him until he was pulled off by bystanders. Griffith swore out a warrant for his assailant's arrest. After hearing the testimony of several witnesses, Justice Stephenson imposed a fine of $10, with an alternative of five days.

The annual meeting and social of Co. M, Seventh Regiment, N.G.C., was held last evening at the Armory. Two long tables were spread, and a substantial lunch served. Capt. Pann acted as toastmaster. Among those who responded to toasts were: H. C. Hibbard, who spoke for the G.A.R.; Judge J. S. Noyes, Capt. Keith, the first in command of Co. C; George Frost, Capt. C. T. Rice, E. P. Clarke, Capt. Morse and others.

The work of cementing the Jurupa Canal, on which a large force of men has been employed for several weeks, is almost completed. The work involves an expenditure of about $20,000.

The work of erecting booths for the street fair has been actively begun, a large corps of decorators is at work, and the town has already taken on a gala appearance.

SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY.

BRYAN AT THE CITY PARK.

SAN BERNARDINO, April 10.—[Regular Correspondence.] The train bringing Col. Bryan and party from San Diego did not arrive here until 1 o'clock this afternoon, half an hour late. A large crowd had assembled at the Santa Fé Third-street station, and as the train pulled in the band struck up a lively air. Marshal Henderson and Officer Starke cleared a path through the crowd for Bryan, who was accompanied by Dr. S. G. Huff, an old-time friend, Mayor Hanford and other local leaders of the Democratic-Populistic-Free Silver combine. A carriage, handsomely decorated with lilies, roses and the American flag, and drawn by four white horses, was in waiting to carry the distinguished visitor to the Stewart Hotel, where lunch was served.

Bryan was scheduled to speak at the city park at 1:15 o'clock, but it was 3 o'clock when he made his appearance. A platform had been erected on the east side of the pavilion, and seats were scattered over the park, where a large crowd had assembled. No time was lost in preliminaries. Bryan entered at once upon his customary tirade against existing conditions and those which he says he believes exist. Dust-stained and capped with a soft black hat, which he wore while speaking, his hands now plunged deep in his trousers' pockets, and anon waved wildly aloft, did not present an ideal picture of a man who aspires to the high office of President of the United States.

He devoted most of his time to an arraignment of the Republican party, which, he alleged, places man, the handiwork of God, below money, the handiwork of man. The trusts were condemned, the Philippine policy of the administration denounced, and the free coinage of silver, on a sixteen to one basis, advocated. The recently enacted currency law was sharply criticised. He protested against "chaining ourselves to the golden chariots of the nations of Europe."

The enthusiasm aroused by the speaker's remarks was confined to those in the immediate vicinity of the platform. While given a cordial reception, it cannot be said that Bryan's visit aroused the enthusiasm anticipated by his faithful followers.

AZUSA.

ELECTION RESULTS.

AZUSA, April 10.—[Regular Correspondence.] The successful candidates at the city election on Monday were the following: Trustees, C. C. Casey, W. J. Wade, E. R. Jeffrey, O. M. Burt and H. F. Parkinson; City Clerk, W. O. Streshly; Marshal, W. J. Remaley; Treasurer, P. C. Daniels. These are all reëlections, except in the case of R. F. Parkinson, who succeeds H. A. Williams as Trustee, and W. J. Remaley, who succeeds Brady Johnson as Marshal. The $21,500 city bonds were today delivered to the purchaser, Isaac Springer of Pasadena. The transfer of the city waterworks to the municipality will be accomplished in a few days, the papers being already in the hands of the attorneys.

MONROVIA.

WATER BONDS SOLD.

MONROVIA, April 10.—[Regular Correspondence.] The city has sold its issue of $20,000 municipal water-improvement bonds to the Adams-Phillips Company for $22,155, with accrued interest of about $100. The sale is considered a good one. Other bids were: S. A. Kean, $21,900; W. J. Hayes & Sons, $23,001; Trowbridge, McDonand & Niver Co., $21,880; H. C. Rogers, $20,-912; Lamprecht Bros. Co., $21,236.50; William Hugh, $22,100.

The city has purchased the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section 13, township 1 north, range 11 west, being forty acres, from T. A. Jackson. This is water-bearing land in the mountains adjoining other city land.

The pumping plant at the Chapman wells will hereafter be run night and day.

The Fruit Exchange reports Washington navel oranges nearly all shipped.

The Briggs, Spence Company is still sending out two or three carloads of oranges daily. Last week the exchange paid out $627 in wages.

POMONA.

CROWD HEARS BRYAN.

POMONA, April 10.—[Regular Correspondence.] Several thousand people heard William J. Bryan speak in Pomona this afternoon. The address was essentially the same as that delivered by Col. Bryan in other Southern California cities, attacking the Republican party, the Philippine policy of the administration, and treating of the "money" and "trust" questions. Col. Bryan missed the local train from San Bernardino this afternoon, and was brought to Pomona on a special, arriving at 4 o'clock. He was met at the station by the Pomona Band and a large crowd, by which he received with cheers. On account of the late hour a tallyho ride which had been planned was postponed, and Col. Bryan was driven to the speakers' platform on Third street.

The crowd was largely made up of those who were curious to see the silver champion, many country people being present. Although Col. Bryan's sarcasm was loudly applauded from time to time, he did not carry the audience by storm, and enthusiasm was generally at a low ebb. Col. Bryan walked to the train for Los Angeles, and submitted heroically to the hand-shaking process from the rear car platform, although he looked worn and weary.

Creek Indians Moving.

CHICAGO, April 10.—A special to the Record from Eldora, Iowa, says that Creek Indians from Indian Territory are coming north, and will locate in Iowa, Minnesota and the Dakotas. An agreement has just been signed and made public by members of the Indian Commission whereby the Creeks will be allowed to take up forty acres of land to a family, under the Curtis act, and for such opportunity relinquish to the United States government the control of their schools and abolish their tribal government.

[Washington Star:] "I see those friends of yours, the Rustlers, have their name in the paper again," said the lady who is interested in social topics.

"Have they, indeed?" responded Miss Cayenne languidly. "I didn't know the delinquent tax list had been published again!"

Ayer's Pills

Look at yourself! Is your face covered with pimples? Your skin rough and blotchy? It's your liver. Ayer's Pills are liver pills. They cure constipation, biliousness and dyspepsia. 25c. All druggists.

Want your mustache or beard a beautiful brown or rich black? Then use BUCKINGHAM'S DYE For the Whiskers. 50c of Druggists, or R. P. Hall & Co., Nashua, N. H.

ORANGE COUNTY.

WATER PLANT'S WORK.

SANTA ANA, April 10.—[Regular Correspondence.] The following report of the superintendent of the city waterworks, recently made to the Board of City Trustees, shows, to a considerable extent, the volume of work done at the city waterworks:

Total number of gallons of water pumped during the month of March, 16,201,934; total number gallons fuel oil consumed, 12,007; average daily consumption of water, 522,643 gallons; average daily fuel oil consumed, 420 gallons; number of gallons of water pumped with one gallon of oil, 1285.

Santa Ana claims to have one of the best water systems of any town of similar size on the Pacific Coast.

WILL BUST A TRUST.

J. M. Kanouse of this city is a very angry blacksmith, but withal, something of a genius in his way. Mr. Kanouse made a trip to Los Angeles a few days ago to purchase some horseshoes, and after selecting the kind and quantity he wanted, he asked the jobber the amount of his bill. The Los Angeles jobber said, "Have you your card?"

"What card?" asked the Santa Ana man, somewhat surprised.

"Why, your union card," replied the Los Angeles man. "Don't you belong to the union?"

"No, sir, I do not," answered Mr. Kanouse, "and what of it?"

"Then I cannot sell you these goods," the answer came.

"The —— you can't," retorted the Santa Ana man, and whirling on his heel started for the railway depot.

Upon arriving in this city he succeeded in purchasing the necessary shoes without any difficulty, and this morning surprised his friends by declaring that he proposed to vote for W. J. Bryan next November, notwithstanding the fact that he had heretofore been a Republican all his life. When questioned as to the cause of this radical change in his political views he replied with some warmth that there had been no change in his views on political matters; that his change of front was a personal matter; that never before in his life had he been refused goods when he had offered the cash for them, and he proposed to get even with the horseshoe trust, or die a-tryin'. And when asked in what way he reasoned that he would benefit matters by assisting in the election of Willim J. Bryan to the Presidency, he quickly answered: "Easy enough, sir. When the Democrats get in they will raise h—— sure enough. Every factory in the country will be shut down in due course of time, and then I'd like to see how they'd get any more horseshoes made. Yes, sir, I'll break that horseshoe trust or bust a-tryin'," and Mr. Kanouse meandered off down the street muttering to himself.

SANTA ANA BREVITIES.

John Morgan, aged 22 years, died yesterday at the residence of his father on Santa Clara avenue from abscesses of the lungs, brought about by a severe continued cold. The funeral services were held today.

At a meeting of the City Council Monday evening it was decided that a demand would be made on the donators of the Birch Park for a deed, in accordance with the agreement between the donators and the city at the time the land was set aside for park purposes.

SANTA BARBARA COUNTY.

LAW OBEYED ON SUNDAY.

SANTA BARBARA, April 10.—[Regular Correspondence.] Reports have been received here from all along the railroad "gap" as far north as Gaviota, to the effect that all of the saloons of the Goleta sanitary district were closed on Sunday in obedience to an ordinance passed by the district sanitary board regulating the liquor business in the district. The saloons also close at a stated hour at night. The ordinance went into effect last week, and Sunday was the first closing day. The Goleta people seem much pleased to see the regulation so well observed.

The High School athletic team began daily training last night under an employed trainer, Peter Poole an experienced man. Twelve men were out for the work. The boys have been doing light training for a month. They are getting into shape to contest in the Southern California interscholastic field day, to take place at Ventura on May 5.

"Honest Labor Bears a Lovely Face."

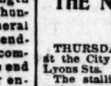
There is nothing more pleasing to look upon than a hearty, ruddy face, gained by honest toil. They are the saving of the nation, these toilers of both sexes, struggling for daily bread.

Pure blood makes them able to keep up the daily round of duty at home, shop or store. If the blood has a taint or impurity, or a run down feeling comes on, the one remedy is Hood's Sarsaparilla, America's Greatest Medicine for the blood.

Poor Blood—"*My blood was so poor that in hottest weather I felt cold. Hood's Sarsaparilla made me warm. It is the right thing in the right place.*" Hattie J. Taylor, Woodstown, N. J.

Hood's Sarsaparilla Never Disappoints

Hood's Pills cure liver ills; the non-irritating and only cathartic to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.



NEW THISTLE BICYCLES $35 Agents Wanted. BURKE BROS., 458 South Spring St.

AUCTIONS.

AT AUCTION

By Order

THE NEWHALL LAND AND FARMING CO.

THURSDAY, April 19th, at 10 o'clock a. m. at the City Stock Yards, corner Aliso and Lyons Sts.

The stallion, Guide; record 2:16¼; by Director.

The Cleveland bay stallion, Saxon Prince, imp.

The six year old roadster, Admiral, by Director. Single or double city broke.

4 grade Cleveland bay all-round horses, from 4 to 6 years old.

8 all-round work horses, single or in team, from 1000 to 1400 lbs., from 4 to 7 years old.

10 all-round driving horses, from 900 to 1100 lbs., 5 to 7 years old,

4 saddle horses.

1 fine polo pony.

4 head all-round work mules.

Also 20 head horses broken and used to city work.

The above stock is all broken, and having been raised at the ranch on the line of the S. P. Co. railway, is not afraid of cars. Horses will be at the stock yards for examination and trial Monday, April 16th, till date of sale.

Walter S. Newhall, General Manager.

BEN. O. RHOADES, Auctioneer.

Auction

On Thursday, April 12th, at 10 o'clock a. m., corner Ruth ave. and Fifth street, I will sell without reserve, camp wagon, 12 roller coaster cars, cultivator, plows, one row boat, wheelbarrow, lot railroad iron, wire cable,

7 Street Cars, 1 Ferris Wheel.

THOS. B. CLARK, Auctioneer.

Auction

On Wednesday, Apl. 11

At 10 a.m., at our Salesroom,

No. 438-440 S. Spring St.

Household and kitchen furniture in Bedroom Sets, Chairs, Tables, Wardrobes, 20 rolls Matting, Carpets, Lounges, 1 Manufacturing Sewing Machine, 3 Suits Tailor-made Clothing, 1 Oregon Folding Bed, Mattresses, Iron Bed and, in fact, a complete line of household goods. Sale positive. RHOADES & REED, Auctioneers.

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Thos. B. Clark

Auctioneer and Safe Dealer, has moved, 133 S. Broadway.

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If you wish to realize the highest market value for your household goods, make no mistake, but call at 429 South Spring street. I will pay you cash for your Furniture or dispose of it by Auction at your residence or my salesrooms, guaranteeing you price for same.

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How any man may quickly cure himself after years of suffering from nervous weakness, lost vitality, etc., and restore himself to full vigor. Simply send your name and address to Dr. L. W. Knapp, 1347 Hull Building, Detroit, Mich., and he will gladly send the free receipt with full directions so that any man may easily cure himself at home. This is certainly a most generous offer and the following extracts taken from his daily mail show how men write him:

"Dear Sir: Please accept my sincere thanks for yours of recent date. I have given your treatment a thorough test and the benefit has been extraordinary. It has completely braced me up. I am just as vigorous as when a boy, and you cannot realize how happy I am."

"Dear Sir: Your method worked beautifully. Results were exactly what I needed. Strength and vigor have completely returned."

"Dear Sir: Yours was received and had no trouble in making use of the receipt as directed, and after a few days use can truthfully say it is a boon to weak men. I am greatly improved in strength and vigor."

All correspondence is strictly confidential, mailed in plain sealed envelope. The receipt is free for the asking, and he wants every man to have it.

COUPON

THE TIMES—April 11, 1900.

PORTFOLIO 12.

Glimpses of South Africa

In Peace and in War.

CUT out this coupon and bring or send it with 10c in silver or stamps to the Subscription Department of The Times, and get Part 12 of Glimpses of South Africa in Peace and War.

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LINES OF TRAVEL.

TIME CARD—SANTA FE ROUTE. Southern California Railway, La Grande Station, Foot of Second Street.

California Limited—Leaves 6 p.m. Sunday, Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday. Arrives 1:30 p.m., Friday, Saturday, Sunday, Tuesday.

Overland Express—Leaves 10:15 a.m. daily. Arrives 6:35 a.m. daily.

San Diego—Leave for 8:00 a.m. 2:00 p.m. Arrive from, 12:10 p.m., 6:47 p.m.

San Bernardino, via Pasadena—Leave for, 8:20 a.m., 10:10 a.m., 4:00 p.m., 5:00 p.m. Arrive from San Bernardino, via Pasadena, 6:35 a.m., 9:30 a.m., 10:30 p.m., 1:00 p.m.

San Bernardino, via Orange—Leave for, 8:00 a.m., 12:00 m., 3:00 p.m. Arrive from San Bernardino, via Orange, 10:30 a.m., 12:15 p.m., 5:47 p.m.

Redlands, via Pasadena—Leave for, 8:20 a.m., 10:10 a.m., 4:00 p.m. Arrive from Redlands, via Pasadena, 6:35 a.m., 9:30 a.m., 10:30 p.m.

Redlands, via Orange—Leave for, 8:00 a.m., 12:00 m., 3:00 p.m. Arrive from Redlands, via Orange, 10:30 a.m., 12:15 p.m., 5:47 p.m.

Riverside, via Pasadena—Leave for, 8:20 a.m., 10:10 a.m., 4:00 p.m. Arrive from Riverside, via Pasadena, 6:35 a.m., 9:30 a.m., 10:30 p.m.

Riverside, via Orange—Leave for, 8:00 a.m., 12:00 m., 3:00 p.m. Arrive from Riverside, via Orange, 10:30 a.m., 12:15 p.m., 5:47 p.m.

Pasadena, Monrovia and Azusa—Leave for, 8:20 a.m., 10:10 a.m., 4:00 p.m. Arrive from, 6:35 a.m., 9:30 a.m., 10:30 p.m.

Santa Ana—Leave for, 8:00 a.m., 12:00 m., 3:00 p.m. Arrive from, 10:30 a.m., 12:15 p.m., 5:47 p.m.

San Jacinto and Elsinore—Leave for, 8:00 a.m. Arrive from, 12:15 p.m.

Half Break—Leave for, 8:00 a.m. Arrive from, 5:47 p.m.

Redondo Beach—Leave for, 9:35 a.m., 3:30 p.m. Arrive from, 6:35 a.m., 5:00 p.m.

Santa Monica—Leave for, 9:35 a.m. Arrive from, 5:35 p.m.

Daily except Sundays; a, via Orange; p, via Pasadena; z, Sundays; s, Sunday, Monday, Thursday, Saturday; h, Friday, Saturday, Sunday. Daily. All other trains daily.

Pacific Coast Steamship Co.

The company's elegant steamers Santa Rosa and Corona leave Redondo at 11 A.M. and Port Los Angeles at 2:30 P.M. for San Francisco via Santa Barbara and Port Harford, April 3, 7, 11, 15, 19, 23, 27, May 1, 5, 9, 13, 17, 21, 25, 29, June 2 and every fourth day thereafter. Leave Port Los Angeles at 5:45 A.M. and Redondo at 10:45 A.M. for San Diego, April 1, 5, 9, 13, 17, 21, 25, 29, May 3, 7, 11, 15, 19, 23, 27, 31, June 4 and every fourth day thereafter.

Cars connect via Redondo leave Santa Fe depot at 9:55 A.M., or Redondo Ry. depot at 9:30 A.M. Cars connect via Port Los Angeles leave S. P. R. R. depot at 1:35 P.M. for steamers north bound.

The steamers Coos Bay and Bonita leave San Pedro for San Francisco via East San Pedro, Ventura, Carpinteria, Santa Barbara, Goleta, Gaviota, Port Harford, Cayucos, San Simeon, Monterey and Santa Cruz as follows: April 4, 8, 12, 16, 20, 24, 28; May 2, 6, 10, 14, 18, 22, 26, 30, June 3, and every fourth day thereafter.

Cars connect with steamers via San Pedro leave S. P. R. R. (Arcade Depot) at 5:05 P.M., and Terminal Rys Depot at 5:20 P.M. Sundays at 1:45 P.M. For further information obtain folder. The company reserves the right to change steamers, sailing dates and hours of sailing, without previous notice.

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THE CITY IN BRIEF.

AT THE THEATERS.

BURBANK—El Capitan.
ORPHEUM—Vaudeville.

COMPARATIVE TEMPERATURES.*

	Max.	Min.	Mean.		Max.	Min.	Mean.
Los Angeles	67	43	55	New York	64	38	36
St. Louis	62	34	48	Buffalo	30	26	28
Chicago	54	30	32	Cincinnati	52	28	40
Pittsburgh	44	26	35	St. Paul	52	28	40
Washington	54	30	42	Kansas City	66	34	50
Boston	42	28	35	Jacksonville	74	64	69

[* The minimum is for yesterday; the maximum for day before yesterday. The mean is the average temperature for the two days.]

DRY BULB TEMPERATURE.

Los Angeles	46	San Diego	46
San Francisco	48	Portland	48

PARAGRAPHETTES.

Bryan Was Left.

Col. W. J. Bryan was too late yesterday for the train intended to take him from San Bernardino to Pomona, where he was billed to speak before coming to this city. The Southern Pacific furnished a special to take him over, and another special was required to get the man of many words from Pomona to Los Angeles. But Mr. Bryan has got left before—in November, '96, for instance.

Who Owns the Hat?

A woman fainted during the crush at the Bryan meeting yesterday evening and had to be carried out of the Velodrome. Fortunately, C. E. J. White, who assisted in removing her, had a bottle of spirits of camphor in his pocket, with which he soon succeeded in reviving her, after which she was escorted home by her husband. The woman's name and address were not ascertained, so Mr. White was unable to return her hat, which he afterward found. The owner can recover it by calling at Mr. White's news stand at First and Spring streets today.

Mullen Turns Up.

Edward F. Mullen of this city, who was said to have mysteriously disappeared from Seattle, Wash., has turned up all right in Portland, Or. His mother in Los Angeles received a telegram from him last night, assuring her of his safety. Yesterday morning's press dispatches from Seattle reported that he had vanished and that it was feared he had made away with himself. The story probably grew out of the fact that his sister went to Seattle to see him, and not finding him there, expressed some alarm. Mullen's wife is at Santa Monica. He was formerly a bookkeeper in the Mullen-Bluett clothing house here.

Death From Alcoholism.

Dan J. Leahy, a laborer, about 40 years old, was found dead in bed in his room on Howard street yesterday morning by Mrs. Serbana, an Italian woman who lived next door. The body was removed to R. L. Garrett & Co's. undertaking establishment, where an autopsy and an inquest were held. Dr. Dunton made the post-mortem examination. He found that all of Leahy's vital organs were in an acute state of alcoholic poisoning, and the jury returned a verdict of death from chronic alcoholism. Leahy at one time worked for the Southern Pacific Company, and later was employed as a truck driver. The remains will be buried by his brother, Michael Leahy.

Alleged Antiquities.

Señora Marcelin Ledet, a lady apparently of Castilian parentage, came to the Chamber of Commerce rooms yesterday with some alleged antiquities which she wished to sell. One unique relic, which is very valuable, the Señora states, is a silver medal of honor said to have been bestowed by Henry IV, King of France and Navarre, upon some daring knight who won distinction on the field of battle over 300 years ago. The medal bears on one side a medallion likeness of the King and on the reverse the flag of France. Another relic is a thin leaf so wasted by time that only the veins are left, purporting to be from the tree under which Maximilian, King of Mexico, was shot on July 19, 1867. As a proof that she is thoroughly reliable, Señora Ledet exhibits a commission appointing her United States Consul at Tuxpan, Mexico, dated March 2, 1883, and signed by President Arthur.

Call-um "Gumquats."

Frank Wiggins, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, takes a great interest in Japanese kumquats. There are only two or three dozen trees in Southern California at present time, Mr. Wiggins is convinced that there is a great future ahead of the wee orange. Yesterday he went to a Chinese store down in the Celestial quarter to purchase some of the fruit, for although the product is indigenous to Japan, the Chinese are very fond of it. Mr. Wiggins was perplexed to know what to ask for, as he thought the Chinese must call it kum-yum, kow-yi, or some other equally expressive name. He and the Chinese girl who waited on him, however, were destined to make a mutual discovery. "I want some kumquats," said the secretary, after a period spent in wondering how to proceed. The almond-eyed damsel gazed at him in surprise. "You call um guzquats, we call um gumquats," said she, and in a lingo less intelligible to the secretary, told a small boy to produce the desired article.

Wheel Recovered Afar Off.

A. R. Maines, a south Spring street bicycle dealer, owes gratitude to the L.A.W. Through clever detective work by the league, the dealer is a bicycle, valued at $65, ahead. Some time ago, Otto Fisher, who was employed in a delicacy store on Main street, purchased a wheel from Maines on the installment plan, giving his home address at San Francisco. A week ago last Friday, Fisher left the city without the formality of paying for his wheel. Inquiries in San Francisco developed the fact that the address given by him was fictitious. The ticket offices of the various railroads were searched to find whither the youth had gone, without result. It was finally discovered at a scalper's office that he had fled to Shenandoah, Penn. J. J. Jenkins, the local consul of the L.A.W., was appealed to, and telegraphed to T. J. Keenan, the consul at Pittsburgh. He in turn informed the consul at Shenandoah. Yesterday a telegram was received here stating that the youth had been apprehended and the wheel recovered.

NEWS AND BUSINESS.

Remember the needy. Save your cast-off clothing, beds, bedding or stoves for poor families of the city. A request is also made for shoes and clothing for poor children. There are many poor families in need of wholesome food, and potatoes, beans, groceries, or canned fruit will be most thankfully received. Drop a card to Fred Wrigsted, at the "Good Samaritan" (formerly Capt. Frazer's place,) No. 135 East Seventh street, and anything you have to donate will be called for.

It all depends upon the blending of colors, the style and finish, as to how a hat will look. These are requisites carefully attended to at "The Adele," 218 South Broadway, opposite Coulter's. Mrs. Raynor and Miss Dinsmore.

Learn all about Southern California, its climate, soil, people, productions, commerce, progress and general business conditions by sending 10 cents for a copy of the mammoth Midwinter Edition of The Los Angeles Times.

We have arranged with our New York office to ship weekly during the season twenty-five pattern hats. The third shipment arrives this week. S. S. Spier, successor to Mme. Gottheif, 121 S. Spring street.

Have you seen our French importations this season? If not, call in this week. We shall display the grandest array of millinery seen, as yet. S. S. Spier, successor to Mme. Gottheif, 121 S. Spring street.

The display of Easter lilies by the Ingleside Floral Co., at 140 S. Spring, is undoubtedly the finest ever seen on this Coast.

"The Shadow of the Cross" will be the subject of Rev. Dr. Dowling's discourse this evening, at Christ Episcopal Church.

Special sale of genuine Turkish rugs this week; new goods just arrived. Rugs sent on approval. 122 West Fourth.

Big discounts on Indian baskets, blankets and Mexican zarapes, Campbell's Curio Store, 325 S. Spring.

For time of arrival and departure of Santa Fé trains, see "Time Card" in today's Times.

The Times Job Office is equipped to do machine composition, 13 ems, at short notice.

Learn stenography; quickest, best and cheapest way. Y.M.C.A. class tonight.

Finest cabinet photos reduced to $1, $1.75 per doz. Sunbeam, 236 S. Main st.

Vacy Steer. Pure walnut hair stain, $1. 124 West Fourth.

Shells and curios, 346 S. Broadway.

Furs remodeled. D.Bonoff, 247 S.B'way

Whitney's trunk factory, 423 S. Spring

Hanly's Cal. Food Coffee. Grocers.

H. R. Monroe was arrested by Officer Sawyer yesterday on the charge of violating the bill-posting ordinance.

Mrs. Ballington Booth of the Volunteers of America, will speak on her work in the State prisons in the First Baptist Church on Flower, between Seventh and Eighth streets, tonight at 8 o'clock.

Service will be held at St. Paul's Pro Cathedral this evening at 7:45. The vicar will preach on "The Power of the Cross." Stainer's "Crucifixion" will be rendered by the choir on Good Friday evening at 7:30.

There are undelivered telegrams at the Western Union telegraph office for C. C. Shepardson, S. M. Dyer, Mrs. A. H. Sherman, W. H. Aiken, C. C. Collins, C. J. Eddy, D. B. Campbell, Mr. Barrett and R. H. Hill.

The surveying party to restake the government lands to be irrigated by the Imperial Water Company, No. 1, leaves Los Angeles today for Flowing Wells to commence the survey under the direction of C. R. Rockwood, C. E.

I. Silver of this city has filed in the United States District Court a petition in insolvency. He alleges that he has unsatisfied claims in the sum of $592.51, and that he has $350 assets. Of this amount $180 represents household furniture.

Frank Ray, who is charged with the theft of a jackscrew and a coyote-skin carriage robe, was arrested by a second-hand dealer at No. 346 East First street yesterday, and held until the patrol wagon arrived to take him to the City Jail, where he is locked up on the charge of petty larceny.

Civil-service examinations for departmental and printing office positions and situations in the Indian and railway-mail service, will be held in Turner Hall today. The examinations will be under the direction of E. G. Seibert of Washington, D. C., department supervisor of examinations. Mr. Seibert arrived from Fresno yesterday. Over fifty are entered for the examinations here.

The San Bernardino County Board of Education has adopted a resolution calling on all the city and county boards in the State to cooperate and assist the educational commission, appointed pursuant to a resolution passed by the State Teachers' Association, which met at Sacramento last December. Copies of the resolution have been sent to educational bodies throughout the State.

PERSONAL.

J. A. Orr of San Francisco is at the Nadeau.

U. S. Grant, Jr., of San Diego was in the city yesterday.

Frank K. Scoville of Corona is a guest of the Pomona.

E. G. Siebert of Washington, D. C., is a guest of the Van Nuys.

T. C. Watrous, Esq., of San Diego, registered at the Nadeau yesterday.

P. Charlebois, Sheriff of Ventura county, is a guest of the Hollenbeck.

Robert Gage, a fruit grower of Ontario, is registered at the Hollenbeck.

Police Commissioner R. A. Ling has been confined to his home by illness for several days.

Adolphus Cohen, a dry goods merchant of New York, is staying at the Westminster.

J. A. Crandall of Omaha, connected with the Cudahy Packing Company, is at the Hollenbeck.

J. E. Camarillo of Camarillo, Cal., is visiting in the city for a week, and is at No. 2013 S. Main street.

W. W. Worthing and W. H. Richards, business men of Stockton, are in the city at Hotel Lincoln.

C. R. Rockwood, chief engineer of the Imperial Land Company of Los Angeles, left today for Yuma, Ariz.

Jackson Temple, a justice of the State Supreme Court, registered at the Van Nuys yesterday from Santa Rosa.

Silas H. Jenkins, a traveling man from New York, is paying a flying visit to the city. He is registered at the Van Nuys.

Mrs. Ballington Booth of the Volunteers of America, has returned to the city from San Francisco. She is registered at the Van Nuys, Broadway.

L. E. Love and wife, who have been spending the winter in Southern California, will leave today for Pittsburgh, their home city. Mr. Love is an agent for the Westinghouse Air Brake Company.

Stewart E. Mallock, Francis G. Mallock, Mrs. F. S. Mallock, Miss J. Mallock and Miss Robertson form a party of "Canucks" registered at the Westminster from Hamilton and Vancouver, Can.

C. M. Davis, manager of David C. Cook's ranch at Piru, returned to the city yesterday. He brought with him a specimen branch of late olives and some lemons and citrons for the Chamber of Commerce exhibit.

Sergt. and Mrs. W. T. Jeffries returned Monday from San Francisco, where they spent their honeymoon and are now at home at No. 1636 Rockwood street. Sergt. Jeffries resumed his duties on the police force yesterday as captain of the afternoon watch.

Hon. W. H. Taft, president of the United States Philippine Commission, and family returned yesterday at noon from San Diego, where he went to join his family, and visit his sister. The party went north yesterday afternoon, and will sail for Manila next Sunday.

J. B. Louck, who was the general freight agent for California at the World's Fair Exposition in Chicago, is now here, assisting in the Southern Pacific ticket office. Mr. Louck has been engaged at San Francisco for some time, but was brought to Los Angeles by the company on account of a press of business in the local office.

E. C. McCullough, government printer at Manila, arrived in Los Angeles Sunday, and went north last night on the Owl, on his way to Washington, D. C., accompanied by his wife. His little son, Ronald, is staying with Mr. and Mrs. Elser of the Soldiers' Home, the lad's grandparents, pending Mr. McCullough's return to this city prior to his departure for Manila.

EIGHT INDICTMENTS.

FEDERAL GRAND JURY MAKES A PARTIAL REPORT.

In a partial report of the Federal Grand Jury, filed in the United States District Court yesterday eight indictments are found. With but one exception the accused are charged with having passed counterfeit coin, or of having same in their possession.

The exception is an indictment against W. E. Abraham, in which he is accused of robbing the United States mails. Abraham has been employed at the local postoffice as a letter carrier for several months. It is alleged that on the 4th inst. he opened a letter directed to Mrs. Flora Paris Howard, No. 121 South Broadway, removing from therein one silver certificate valued at $1, and a silver fifty-cent piece. He is held for examination, with bonds fixed at $3000.

James McHaney is charged, in two indictments, with having passed counterfeit gold coins at San Bernardino, March 8, with intent to defraud John Fenlayson, H. H. Bingham, Hazel St. Clare and W. S. Morgan. Manuel Diaz and W. S. Ball are charged with a like offense. With the exception of Diaz, all are held for examination, with bonds fixed at $5000.

Charles E. Wehn and Howard B. Slosson are charged with having had in their possession molds and plasters for the manufacture of bogus ten-cent pieces. Wehn is also accused of having passed counterfeit coins with intent to defraud Alexander Billis. The scene of operations was San Diego.

CITRUS FRUITS GO FREE.

GROWERS CAN SHOW AT PARIS WITHOUT EXPENSE.

Information has been received at the local Chamber of Commerce from the California Commission at the Paris Exposition that will be of much interest to fruit raisers who have been considering the matter of making displays of citrus fruits at the exposition. The chamber has been informed that arrangements have been made for special citrus exhibits, whereby the fruit will be shipped from California direct to the exposition without cost to the grower. The only expense to the latter will be that of the fruit.

Arrangements have also been made for judging the citrus fruit exhibit before the regular exhibits are examined. By this most satisfactory arrangement California fruit growers will stand excellent chances of taking some of the handsome gold and silver medals offered by the French government.

The local chamber is arranging to send an exhibit in a few days, and invites orange or lemon growers in Southern California to send exhibits, or to communicate at once regarding the matter of future displays.

UNIONS' FIGHT FOR LIFE.

LABOR LEADERS WILL AGITATE IN EASTERN CITIES.

[A. P. EARLY A.M. REPORT.]

CHICAGO, April 10. — Building mechanics in the East will be in possession of the situation in Chicago from the union standpoint within the next forty-eight hours. Acting on the decision of the Building Trades Council meeting of Friday night, and the advice of leaders who held a conference Sunday afternoon, Edward Carroll, president of both the national and Chicago Building Trades Councils, and James E. Daly, president of the Chicago Federation of Labor, left last night for Washington, D. C. In that city it is probable that the two officers will have a conference with representatives of the American Federation of Labor, and each will address meetings of workmen. Mr. Carroll will go to New York, Boston and other cities in the East, while Mr. Daly will travel to Cleveland, Cincinnati, Louisville and other points.

In each of these cities the unorganized as well as the organized workmen will be addressed. The plan which the Chicago body has outlined for the support of the idle men will be explained, and the union men will be asked to contribute part of their earnings to prevent the dissolution of the Building Trades Council and the disruption of the union attached to it.

A leading member of the Building Trades Council said: "It is our purpose to lay our case before the workmen in the East from first hands. We want to convince them that this fight is as much the perpetuation of their unions as for our own. If the contractors should succeed in disrupting us here, how long would it be before they would, through their national association, attack the organized workmen in other cities? We have had assurance from many points that our cause will be given a careful hearing. The action Friday night was not the first move we have made in this direction. Letters have been sent all over the country by the National Building Trades Council, and now the president of that body is following them."

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday from the office of the County Clerk:

William H. Barnes, aged 32, a native of Missouri, and Fannie D. Stowe, aged 25, a native of Illinois; both residents of Los Angeles.

Edwin S. Chase, aged 62, a native of New Hampshire, and Carrie M. Brodbeck, aged 48, a native of Indiana; both residents of Los Angeles.

Claude F. Fisher, aged 43, a native of Germany, and Mary List, aged 38, a native of California; both residents of Alhambra.

Rev. D. Alexander McRae, aged 40, a native of Canada, and Carrie Ann Neukom, aged 36, a native of Illinois; both residents of Los Angeles.

John G. Beyer, aged 22, a native of Germany, and Anna Freeman, aged 28, a native of California; both residents of Los Angeles.

MARRIAGE RECORD.

WISE-PETRI—At Santa Monica, April 10, 1900, Mr. J. Wise, aged 26 years, born Santa Clara county, Cal., and Miss Bertha Petri, aged 20 years, born Austin, Tex.

DEATH RECORD.

ANKER—In Los Angeles, April 10, 1900, Emma, beloved wife of J. A. Anker, aged 25 years.

FENTON—At Cajon, Cal., April 10, 1900, Astley Fenton, a native of Ireland, aged 59 years. Funeral from parlors of Orr & Hines, 647 South Broadway, Wednesday, April 11, 1900, at 2 o'clock p.m.

LEAHY—In this city, April 10, Daniel Leahy, a native of Ireland, aged 40 years. Funeral from the undertaking parlors of Cunningham & O'Connor, Nos. 457-459 South Main street, Thursday, April 12, at 1:30 p.m. Interment New Calvary.

M'MAHON—April 10, No. 213 Augusta street, Patrick Joseph McMahon, born city of Cork, Ireland, aged 35 years.

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Are as pretty and well made as any you can get. We invite you to examine them. Pittsburgh Aluminum Co., 312 South Spring street.

Special offer to introduce the YOSEMITE SOAPS: At all stores where the YOSEMITE MINERAL WATER is on sale Saturday, April 21, you will get ON THAT DAY ONLY, a cake of YOSEMITE TOILET SOAP and a bar of Yosemite Piute (Mechanic) Soap—FREE—with each 50c bottle of Yosemite Mineral Water purchased.
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We employ the best watchmaker on the Coast—and have the most modern facilities.

Watches Cleaned	75c
New Mainspring	50c
New Roller Jewel	50c
New Casespring	50c
New Hands put on	15c
New Crystal put in	10c
Clocks Cleaned	25c and 35c
Rings made smaller	25c
Plain Rings soldered	25c
Set Rings soldered	25c and 50c
Stones reset	25c and 50c

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GOOD MONEY SAVED.
Paine's Celery Compound 57c
Not "just out" but all you want.

Pierce's Favorite Prescription	58c
Ayer's Hair Vigor	62c
Hood's Sarsaparilla	58c
Peruna	62c
Bromo Seltzer $1 size	58c
Munyon's Remedies	12½c
Beecham's Pills	12½c
Carter's Pills	12½c
Java Powder	28c
Pozzoni's Powder	28c
Bromo Seltzer 50c size	28c
Laxative Bromo Quinine	12½c
Cuticura Soap	14c
Labiache Powder	28c
Sozodont	18c
Packer's Tar Soap	13c

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Best shine in the city for 5 cents, at our polishing parlor on Fourth Street.
W. C. Cummings Foot-Form Shoes
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Munyon's Rheumatism Cure
Has no equal as a quick and permanent cure for all kinds of Rheumatism—chronic, inflammatory, sciatica, muscular or lumbago. A few doses give relief; cure comes in a few days. Thousands have given testimony in its favor. Price 25 cents; all druggists. Write Prof. Munyon, 1505 Arch street, Philadelphia, Pa., for free medical advice.

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Easter Parasol
An Elaborate Display...
Today will be parasol day. Over 3000 parasols, including every conceivable style, are here awaiting you. Of course we cannot show them all at one time, but they are here nevertheless, and you must see them. We have taken the trouble to count them—different colors and shades—there are 110. The assortment is complete. Every conceivable style and shape from the smallest child's parasol to the most elaborate creation of chiffon, fringe, etc. New arrivals for Easter will be shown.
Among them is a 17 inch frame covered with white grosgrain silk of good quality, trimmed with double chiffon ruffle, 2 rows of jaby trimming, extra large puff at the crown, 4 inch lace insertion at bottom and large silk tassel. A parasol you would expect to see marked $25, but the price is $18.00
Another white parasol is made of grosgrain silk, has 8 gold enameled ribs, 2 rows of sewing silk ruffles, 6-in. deep and beautiful puff at the crown; the stick is of finely polished imported wood in a new design; a parasol well worth $12.50, but the price is $7.50
An assortment of 18 inch parasols made of good quality Japanese silk, trimmed with 9 rows of narrow tucks in clusters of three; the handles are known as the club sticks and come in a variety of styles $5.00
A splendid line of blue, gray, black and white parasols, 20 inch frames, made of excellent Japanese silk, profusely trimmed with lace beading and finished with beautiful cord and tassel, are selling at $3.50
White china silk parasols with colored borders, consisting of 3 and 4 rows of ¾-inch colored stripes; frames are enameled in white; the handles are the latest style of crooks; beauties for $2.50
All the beautiful spring shades of plain china silk with at the crown; best paragon frames; an assortment of pretty crooked handles; the best quality and prettiest parasols we have ever been able to sell for $1.50
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This certifies that I have just had two teeth extracted by the wonderful "Schirman Method" without the least pain. Although I retained my full faculties throughout the whole operation, I did not even feel when they came out, and could hardly believe they were out. H. O. BLAISDELL, City Hall.
I have just had five teeth filled and two pulled, without any pain. Had I known of this painless method of extracting and filling, I would have come long ago.
MRS. E. R. WERDIN,
237 W. First St., Los Angeles.
This is to certify that I have had thirteen teeth extracted by Dr. Schiffman's method, and did not experience any pain. It is unquestionably the best work I ever had done.
C. W. BLANCHARD,
2502 Michigan ave., Los Angeles.
Having suffered a great deal with bad teeth, I went to Dr. Schiffman and had three teeth extracted without any pain at all, and can recommend any of the Los Angeles Fire Department to go there.
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Here a world-wide selection awaits your choosing. Picturesque styles from the famous designers of Paris, and nobby creations from the leading milliners of New York.
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[POLITICAL.]

ARCUS DALY'S DAY.

TRIUMPHS OVER HIS RIVAL, "SENATOR" CLARK.

Smith Would Place the Toga on Shoulders if He Should Desire to Fill That Seat in the Upper House.

Reign of Unprecedented Bitterness Certain to Be Fought in Montana. Republicans Have the Best Possibilities.

Admiral Dewey Said to Have Decided to Withdraw—Boutelle and Littlefield Renominated in Maine. Talk by Cleveland.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

HELENA (Mont.,) April 10.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The action of the Senatorial committee on Privileges and Elections in voting unanimously to declare vacant the seat of W. A. Clark created the greatest surprise throughout this State. Senator Smith has not yet received the governor's resignation, and declines to discuss Clark's probable successor. Many rumors are current, however, and Clark is mentioned for the place are W. H. Conrad, of Great Falls, who was Clark's leading opponent during the late legislative assembly; Editor J. H. Rogers, son of the Anaconda Standard, Marcus Daly himself, or possibly Gov. Rickards, who will resign and be appointed by Lieut.-Gov. Spriggs. If Daly wants the seat there is but little doubt that Governor Smith would appoint him.

"Senator" W. Clark, the so-called Senator's brother, is in this city, but declines to make a statement, other than to say that they will seek vindication at the hands of this fall. This is taken to indicate that Clark will again be a candidate for the senatorship, but instead of fighting the battle on the floor of the Legislature, the fight will be conducted at the school-houses, mines and towns, and through the columns of the State. As the appointee will only serve until March 4 next, and Senator Clark's term also expires then, the incoming Legislature will have the responsibility of electing two Senators. Naturally a campaign of unprecedented bitterness between not only the Daly and Clark factions, but the Democrats and Republicans as well, is anticipated.

The senatorial situation is the sole topic of conversation. Most decided opinion is being brought to bear upon Governor Smith to call a special session of the Legislature to choose a successor to Clark. Should he do so, whoever is elected would serve five years, and as the present Legislature is decidedly Democratic, it would necessarily be of that faith, while if the Governor does not summon he would serve but four or eight months, and run the risk of the next Legislature being Republican, which is said to be not improbable owing to Democratic dissensions as the showing made by the Republicans at the spring elections.

ADMIRAL DEWEY NOT QUITTING.

WASHINGTON PEOPLE HAVE OUT NO SUCH NEWS.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, April 10.—Admiral Dewey tonight said that the report published in a New York afternoon paper to the effect that he intended to withdraw his candidacy for the presidency, was all a mistake, and that he had never given anyone whatever any such information.

THE FRINTED REPORT.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

NEW YORK, April 10.—A Washington special to the Evening World says: "It is asserted this afternoon on what seems to be good authority that Admiral Dewey has decided to withdraw as a candidate for the Presidency and that within a few days he will formally announce his decision. His son-in-law, John R. McLean, is said to be responsible for this move. Within forty-eight hours, Admiral Dewey has been in consultation with two democratic leaders, and others democratic to President McKinley. These opinions then expressed, together with the unfavorable or non-committal views voiced by the newspapers, decided him, it is asserted, to withdraw from the contest."

GROVER'S HEAP BIG TALK.

WILL CONTINUE FOR YEARS.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

PRINCETON (N. J.,) April 10.—Ex-President Cleveland delivered his second lecture in Alexander Hall tonight before a large number of students, members of the faculty, their families and many others. At 8 o'clock President Patton and Mr. Cleveland appeared on the rostrum, and were greeted with prolonged applause. Without the lecture the ex-President frequently interrupted by applause, and at its close the big hall rang with cheers of enthusiastic students and others present.

Mr. Patton expressed the thanks of the university to Mr. Cleveland for delivering the lectures, and surprised the audience by announcing that Mr. Cleveland would deliver the Stafford Little lectures again next year, and he hoped that in many years as the ex-President have strength to deliver them. Mr. Cleveland was at the lecture, sitting beside the venerable Stafford Little, who was escorted to the hall by Mr. Patton.

JUDGE CALDWELL DECLINES.

PREFERS THE BENCH.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, April 10.—Judge Henry C. Caldwell of Arkansas, who has been extensively spoken of as a suitable candidate for Vice-President, and who has received a great number of letters urging him to agree to accept that position, should he be tendered him, has written a letter to Senator Jones of Arkansas, who is his personal friend, stating that he cannot consent to such use of his name, and that his resolution in the matter is absolutely irrevocable.

Judge Caldwell was appointed district judge by President Lincoln in 1864, and served on the bench in that capacity at Little Rock until appointed Circuit Judge by President Harrison in 1890. Speaking of the Judge's attitude, Senator Jones said: "Judge Caldwell's views are all judicial. He has never taken any active connection with politics, and his modesty which has always characterized him, he thinks his field of labor is on the bench, and not in political position. He is a man of character, and a firm believer in principles which the supporters of Bryan, Populists, Silver Republicans and Democrats believe in."

CLARK'S WORK REPUBLICANS.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

CLARK (N. J.,) April 10.—Mayor Seymour (Dem.), was re-elected by Newark by 2500 plurality. The Republicans elected nine Aldermen out of fifteen, taking from the Democrats the control of the Common Council. They also elected eight school commissioners, breaking the tie and gaining control of the Board of Education. The Republicans carried the city by 1000 plurality, taking the vote for trustees for the city home as a basis.

OKLAHOMA POPULISTS.

SPLIT IN ENID CONVENTION.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

ENID (Okla.,) April 10.—The Populist Territorial Convention held today to elect delegates to the Sioux Falls convention resulted in a split. Twenty-three delegates, representing four counties, bolted and held a separate convention, at which they nominated delegates to the Cincinnati convention.

The bolters took this action after having failed to induce a majority of the delegates to adopt a middle-of-the road policy. The convention proper indorsed W. J. Bryan for President.

BOUTELLE RENOMINATED.

LITTLEFIELD ALSO CHOSEN.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

AUBURN (Me.,) April 10.—The Republicans of the Second Maine Congress District renominated Hon. Charles E. Littlefield of Rockland for Congress.

FOURTH MAINE DISTRICT.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

BANGOR, April 10.—The Republicans of the Fourth Maine Congress District today renominated Hon. Charles A. Boutelle as a candidate for Representative.

TAKING TO TONGUE.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

M'MINNVILLE (Or.,) April 10.—Thomas H. Tongue was this afternoon renominated for Congress by the Republicans of the First District.

George A. Steele of Clackamas county and J. B. Davis of Yamhill county were elected delegates to the national convention at Philadelphia, and were instructed to vote for the renomination of President McKinley. Resolutions were adopted indorsing the gold stand ard and the administration of President McKinley.

O'REAR IN FRONT.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

SEDALIA (Mo.,) April 10.—Hon. Leslie O'Rear of Marshall was nominated for Congress today by the Seventh District Republican convention. The resolutions indorse the national administration and reaffirm the St. Louis platform.

BOND FOR QUICK WORK.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

KANSAS CITY, April 10.—A $50,000 bond was today given by the Gillette-Herzog Manufacturing Company of Minneapolis to insure the erection of the convention hall in time for occupancy by the Democratic National Convention in July.

ROW BROKE HIS HEART.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

NEW YORK, April 10.—At the Republican convention held at Amityville, L. I., today for the election of delegates to the State convention, there was a row, during which former State Senator Richard S. Higbie, the leading Republican of the east end of Long Island, became greatly excited. He was one of those elected delegates, and after the convention he returned home, and was stricken with heart disease, dying within a few minutes.

INDORSED MARK HANNA.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

NORFOLK (Va.,) April 10.—The Republican State convention today indorsed Mark Hanna for national chairman. The civil service laws were denounced.

KENTUCKY SUSPECT UP.

CASE TO BE ARGUED TODAY.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

FRANKFORT (Ky.,) April 10.—The habeas corpus proceedings begun in behalf of "Tallow Dick" Combs, one of the Goebel suspects, came up in Judge Cantrill's court today. County Attorney Potsgrove presented his answer to the petition of the prisoner's counsel and the case went over until tomorrow, when it will be argued.

Not much is likely to be heard from the grand jury until it completes its investigation or returns some indictments. Judge Cantrill has forbidden the local newspaper men to send out the names of witnesses who are called to testify or to speculate upon the nature of the evidence given.

The attorneys for both sides in the cases involving the State officers, other than Governor and Lieutenant-Governor, are today working on an agreement to unite upon a single case in order to secure speedy action by the Circuit Court and Court of Appeals, so that both cases may be taken to the United States Supreme Court at the same time.

GEORGIA POPULISTS.

CONVENE AT THE CAPITAL.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

ATLANTA (Ga.,) April 10.—Two hundred delegates of the Populist organization of Georgia met at the State Capitol here today for the nomination of a State ticket and the election of fifty-four delegates to the national convention in Cincinnati. Chairman W. L. Peek, said Marion Butler of North Carolina, was the "chief of all traitors," and the Democratic party had adopted the platform of the populists except that the former was opposed to a "free ballot and a fair count."

Wharton Barker of Philadelphia also addressed the convention. At the conclusion of his address the convention unanimously indorsed him for the head of the national Populist ticket, and Ignatius Donnelly for Vice-President.

VAN VOORHIS AGAIN NAMED.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

ZANESVILLE (O.,) April 10.—The Republican Congressional Convention for the Fifteenth Ohio District today nominated Congressman H. C. Voorhis for a fifth consecutive term.

WATSONVILLE ELECTION.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

WATSONVILLE, April 10.—A very spirited election for city officers of Watsonville resulted as follows: City Trustees, C. M. Cassin, James King and William Palmtag; for marshal, C. W. Bridgewater; for City Clerk, S. W. Coffman; for City Treasurer, W. B. Cooper; library trustees, Miss C. Bockius, Mrs. E. Dickerman, Miss L. Kidder, Mrs. G. A. Moorehead, Mrs. M. Tuttle.

COMING TO LOS ANGELES.

NOTABLE LEAGUE DELEGATION.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, April 10.—The National Republican League of San Francisco tonight chose the following delegates to the convention of Republican clubs which will be held at Los Angeles: W. H. L. Barnes, at large; George Stone, William MacDonald, Zenas U. Dodge, Albert Castle, J. Murray Bailey, Reuben H. Lloyd, Hugh M. Burke, George A. Knight, T. V. Eddy, George A. Newhall, Mark Lane, J. C. Currier, E. M. Galvin, F. A. Pedlar, M. Cooney, E. I. Wolfe, and T. C. Mastellar.

The delegates were instructed to make an effort to have San Francisco designated as the place for holding the next convention of league clubs.

The Howard Republican Club selected the following delegates to the Los Angeles convention: Judge Thomas F. Graham, Frederick Eggers, E. H. Lutgens, John W. Koch and Horace Jackson.

NEW JERSEY ELECTIONS.

DEMOCRATS CARRY NEWARK.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

NEW YORK, April 10.—Municipal elections were held today in most of the important cities of New Jersey, and in several of the smaller ones. Councilmen only were elected in most of the cities that voted today. Local issues were involved, and there was no striking overturn anywhere. In Newark, where the Republicans had hoped for a sweeping majority, Mayor Seymour (Dem.,) was reelected by 2300 majority, but the Republicans elected two members of the Board of Public Works, the whole electorate voting, and the new Council will stand 18 Republicans, 12 Democrats, a reversal of last year.

In Jersey City, the Democratic ticket was elected by 5200 majority. The Board of Aldermen will stand 23 Democrats, 2 Republicans. In Elizabeth, Mayor Mack (Rep.,) was reelected, but the Democrats still retain control of the Common Council. In New Brunswick the Democrats reelected City Collector Florence by 1325 majority. The new Council will consist of 9 Democrats and 4 Republicans.

In Trenton the Republicans carried ten of the thirteen wards, and gained four Councilmen, thus giving them a still greater majority than before. Hoboken gave the usual Democratic majority, and the complexion of the Council is unchanged. The Republicans gained a Councilman in Paterson and the new board will be tied, 8 to 8.

In Orange, party lines were not drawn except in Orange proper, where the Democrats reelected Mayor Henry Stetson. The new Council will stand 13 Democrats, 3 Republicans. The Republicans made gains at Rahway, Summit and Phillippsburg went Democratic as usual, and at Asbury Park and Mont Clair, the Citizens' tickets were successful.

JONES SAYS IT'S BRYAN.

DEWEY BOOM SHORT-LIVED.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

NEW YORK, April 10.—Senator James K. Jones of Arkansas, chairman of the Democratic National Committee, came to this city from Washington tonight for a brief visit.

Senator Jones said that the expressed purpose of Admiral Dewey to run for President had not unduly excited him or any other Democrats. In fact, he thought the Dewey boom would be short-lived and that under no circumstances could it interfere with Mr. Bryan's candidacy. When asked what he thought of the anti-Bryan sentiment which was said to be growing, especially among the Democrats of the East, Mr. Jones said: "I have heard something of anti-Bryan conferences and such things, but I doubt if there is anything to it. It is my belief that Mr. Bryan will be nominated on the first ballot, and that there will be no opposition of any weight to him in the convention."

TOWNE IS TORMENTED.

MUST FIX THE REPUBLICANS.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

DULUTH (Minn.,) April 10.—The possible candidacy of Charles A. Towne for the Vice-Presidency on the Democratic ticket makes his views on recent issues of interest. The following is an extract from a statement made by Towne:

"The principle on which the claims for bimetallism rested in 1896 is avowed by every standard political economist that has ever written during 2000 years in any language or any country, and it is an abandonment of that principle to admit that circumstances may temporarily have obscured the importance of the issue either by a relaxation of the rigors of monometallism through increased monetary supplies, or by the appearance of other issues which, because of their far-reaching importance, must claim first place in the interest of the people until they are settled and settled right.

"There are no terrors for me in the detractions of either malevolent misrepresentation or ignorant malice. The Republican party has followed up its surrender to the banks in 1896 by as base surrender to the trusts, and above and beyond all else it has challenged the patriotism of the American people by laying an unholy hand upon the Constitution and by proposing to divorce the flag from the glorious legends of liberty that have heretofore always waved upon its resplendent folds.

"I have not the slightest hesitancy in saying that all other questions must remain subordinate to this great problem of how to save the government of our fathers from its present betrayal at the hands of the present day leaders of the Republican party."

Rise and Fall of the Mustache.

Is the subject of Robert J. Burdette's lecture at Blanchard Hall next Tuesday evening. The following is from an Iowa paper: "If ever a boy had a true friend, Robert J. Burdette is one. He pleads for his rights from the time he is a tender sprout in the cradle until he stands like the gnarled old oak in the winter of his life. Burdette is a 'funny man'—that's his reputation—and he has well earned it, but he is more; he is a moralist as well. His lectures amuse, but they always instruct. No one can hear his theme without being made better, and made to think better of his neighbor.—[Democrat, Ottumwa, Iowa.

RIPPLES OF MIRTH.

[Washington Star:] "I s'pose it's all right," said Mr. Cumrox. "But it doesn't seem fair."

"What doesn't seem fair?"

"For Matilda to scold because I want to eat dinner in my shirt sleeves. I don't make any fuss about her party dresses, an' they haven't any sleeves at all."

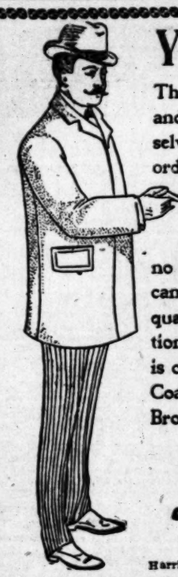
[Chicago Record:] "There's one thing I can't understand about the rich."

"What's that?"

"They can afford to keep out of society and enjoy themselves as they want to and they don't do it."

[Chicago Tribune:] "Why is it," asked Miss Birdie, "that the nearest way to a man's heart is through his stomach?"

"Because," said Miss Flyppe, with that cold, illusion-destroying knowledge of mankind that comes sooner or later to all of us, "that is the inside track."



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The Clothing questions—what to wear, and where to buy. They assert themselves at this season with more than ordinary force.

We prepared for Easter months ago—studied for it—bought discriminately—and now can clothe you as no other clothier or tailor can do. We can fit you in all requirements—style, quality, fabric and price, and our reputation is sewed in every seam. Attention is called to our full silk lined Oxford Coats—$17.50 to $35.00—made by Brokaw Bros. and Stein-Bloch & Co.

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has no equal for its well defined purposes of aiding the convalescent, the weak, the mother in recovering health, strength, appetite. Made only by the Anheuser-Busch Brewing Ass'n, St. Louis, U. S. A. Sold by all druggists. Anheuser Beer & Bottling Co. Wholesale dealers, Los Angeles.

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In Tablet Form. Pleasant to Take.

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Every garment has a characteristic touch of style, a curve and grace that quickly wins your favor. We've not been satisfied with any commonplace outfits. Our chief has had working for him the finest skill and the cleverest fingers in New York. We couldn't expect to gain your patronage, if

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Eton Suits $7.69.
Prettily trimmed with braid, choose from navy blue or brown, it's made of all-wool ladies' cloth. It has the dash and style of a $12 suit.

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An unusual value. The jacket is silk-lined and fits snugly, the skirt is made up to the present style.

Venetian Suits $13.49.
In the new shades of pearl gray, navy blue, castor or black, tailored in the latest and most fashionable manner. A tailor stitched skirt—a silk lined coat.

Homespun Suits $9.89.
With a close-fitting, silk lined jacket—a finely tailored skirt that finds no rival under $15.

Cheviot Suits $6.98.
A jaunty outfit, that you would guess to be worth twice what we ask. The jacket has a mercerized lining. Choose from new browns and blues

Fine Cheviot Suits $14.49.
The favorite Eton style jacket, silk lined, with the skirt and jacket trimmed with taffeta silk. The skirts have that flare at the bottom that admits them into fashion's inner circle.

Ladies' all-wool Venetian Suits $13.69. In new tans, grays, browns, blues and black—the new cut double breasted effect jacket, silk lined. The skirt has a box plait back, and ten rows of stitching on the bottom.

Trim'd Hats at Dry Goods Profits.

We are selling Millinery on a different basis than any one else. The way you are buying shows how you like it.

We are not afraid to teach economy.

Measure our hats by the best standards—you will find them one-quarter to one-half under price. You know and we know that milliners' prices are too high. Style and fitness form the gauge of millinery measurements. The more you compare our hats, the faster we grow. Today we offer you **Four Very Special Bargains---a Pre-Easter Grouping of Values.**

Assortment I—$2.89.
In this lot we have gathered some 40 choice styles, fancy straw-braid hats, trimmed with silk mull, foliage and flowers. Buy them any place else and you will pay at least twice our price.

Assortment II—$3.48.
5 dozen distinct styles. Hats of fancy straw, braid hats trimmed in the newest and catchiest ways. You would pay $5 for them at the ordinary stores.

Assortment III—$3.98.
Here's the finest choosing we know of. 70 odd hats were in this lot yesterday. Some are trimmed with maline and some with muslin de soie and ornaments and foliage and flowers. They are worth $5 and $6 if they are worth anything.

Assortment IV—$4.39.
These are as fine hats as our scout could find—there are more than 60 in black and colors, not two of them trimmed the same.

The Busy Store---Fourth and Broadway.

Good Health

Is appreciated by everybody, and most of us can be healthy if we are careful about our living.

Nature tries to attend to our wants but occasionally she gets overworked and some organ does not do its proper duty. Then is when we get to feeling badly; we get bilious, constipated, have headaches and dyspepsia; the liver and kidneys work sluggishly.

To overcome and cure these ailments—to get everything working as nature intended it should—to acquire good health take after meals

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These tablets are pure vegetable, harmless, easy and effective. Their value is proven in these letters:

R. W. Tansill, the Chicago millionaire cigar man (of Tansill's Punch 5c cigar fame,) says:

"Baldwin's Health Tablets are the best remedy for constipation, biliousness and torpid liver I have ever used."

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THOMAS DRUG CO., Spring and Temple Sts.
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FRANK OWEN, 1658 Temple St.
FRANK N. DRAKE, 2216 S. Grand Ave.
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CUT out this coupon and bring or send it with 10c in silver or stamps to the Subscription Department of The Times, and get Part 12 of Glimpses of South Africa in Peace and in War.

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Nerve tonic—Blood Maker. Send for descriptive pamphlet. Sold by druggists everywhere. 50 cents per box—six for $2.50. Dr. Williams Med. Co., Schenectady, N. Y.

FOR THE BEST Furniture and Carpets —GO TO— ALLENS, 345-347 South Spring Street.

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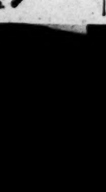

Grip, Colds, Rheumatism, Malaria, Blood and Skin disorders, Dyspepsia, all Bacteria Diseases yield to Rhadam's Microbe Killer. Bottle, $1.00. Jug, $5.00. C. H. Lewis, Druggist, Fourth and Broadway, Los Angeles, Cal., Sole Agent.

SEVEN SUTHERLAND SISTERS' Hair Grower and Scalp Cleaner Are the only preparations that will restore the hair to its original healthy condition. At all druggists.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 11, 1900.

NOTICE TO PATRONS.

"Liner" advertisements for The Times left at the following places will receive prompt attention. Rate: one cent a word each insertion. Minimum charge for any advertisement, 15 cents:

F. D. Owen, Drug Store, Belmont avenue and Temple street.

Boyle Heights Drug Store, 1952 East First street.

Chicago Pharmacy, F. J. Kruell, Ph. G., prop., Central avenue and Twelfth street.

National Pharmacy, corner Sixteenth and Grand avenue.

H. W. Drenkel's Prescription Pharmacy, Twenty-fourth and Hoover. Phone Blue 1101.

The Times will receive at a minimum charge of 50 cents "liner" advertisements by telephone, but will not guarantee accuracy.

Liners.

SPECIAL NOTICES—

"LAKEMBA," BRITISH BARK, CAPT. Bradhering, from Antwerp, will commence discharging at Port Los Angeles, on Thursday, April 5, 1900. Consignees will please call at the office of the undersigned, pay freight and receive their orders. All merchandise when landed upon the wharf will be at the risk of the owners thereof (without regard to the weather,) and if not removed before 4 o'clock p.m. of each day, will be stored or left on the wharf at the risk and expense of the owner. BALFOUR, GUTHRIE & CO., 36 Baker Block, Los Angeles.

EVERY DAY THIS WEEK A LADY MAY BE seen at the rooms of Mrs. Harris who has been under her special 6-day treatment for wrinkles, relaxed, sagging muscles of the face and neck. This is Mrs. Harris's own original method. The marvelous results must be seen to be appreciated, and while it removes the lines, relaxed muscles, etc., it also removes any discoloration or freckles, making the skin transparent and beautiful. Consultation free. HOTEL CATALINA, 429 S. Broadway. 11

HAIR DEATH, THE NEW AND WONDERful hair remover, does not burn the most delicate skin, even if left on for hours; it will penetrate the pores and kill the roots. If several applications are made. Call or write if further information is desired. Hair tonic sent postpaid on receipt of price to any address, $1 per bottle; 3 bottles for $2.50. MRS. WEAD JACKSON, 1107 Broadway st., Los Angeles, leading hair store and toilet parlors.

THERE WILL BE A MEETING OF THE Fifth Ward Republican Club Thursday evening, April 12, corner Main and Second, to select delegates to the State League of Republican Clubs. All Republicans invited. W. W. McKINLEY, Pres. By ED W. HOPKINS, Sec. 12

SIEN'S SUITS DRY CLEANED AND pressed, $1.50; pants dry cleaned, 35c. Ladies' skirts dry cleaned and pressed, 75c. First-class work guaranteed.
We call for and deliver. Tel. James 93.
BOSTON DYE WORKS, 321 S. Spring.

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S. A. STEAM CARPET CLEANING CO. WILL clean carpets at 5c per yard; we will clean and lay at 4c. We guarantee all our work. 429 S. Second. Tel. main 74. Refitting a specialty. S. BENNETT, Manager.

SEND THE MIDWINTER NUMBER OF THE Times to your eastern friends. It is equal to a 500-page book, and tells more about the Southwest than you can do in writing letters in a month of Sundays.

JOIN PROF. EARLEY'S NEW CLASSES IN hypnotism, magnetism, suggestion. City class opens next Friday evening, April 13, 423½ SPRING. Pasadena class, next Monday, April 16. 11

AMATEUR PHOTOGRAPHERS—THE NEW rough and heavy, smooth PLATINOGRAPH photo paper will be demonstrated at the LOS ANGELES CAMERA CLUB next Friday night.

AT THE BEACH—ARE YOU BUILDING AT the beach? We have a lot of doors suitable for that purpose, cost, LOS ANGELES SASH AND DOOR CO., 324 Aliso st.

TRY LILLIE WEBB'S COMPLEXION SOAP. You will never use any other. For sale at all stores. Be sure Lillie's Webb name is stamped on every bar of soap.

MATZOS, UNLEAVENED BREAD, SPECIAL for the Easter holidays. Orders to be taken by I. SCHULMAN, 422 Jackson st., Los Angeles city.

LACE CURTAINS LAUNDERED BY HAND, 35c pair. MRS. GRACE HEATH, 212 S. Broadway. Tel. 421 brown. Goods called for.

GREAT EASTERN STEAM CARPET CLEANING and dye co. Tents to let. 437 Requena st. Tel. white 2151. Carpets cleaned and relaid 4c a d.

ACCORDION PLEATING DONE AT 340½ S. HILL. Only steam pleater in city. Hems and buttons free of charge.

STOVE REPAIRS, RANGES AND RANGE repairs, at 329 N. MAIN ST. Tel. James 1621.

FOR WINDOW SHADES—ELKELES MAKES them. 222 W. SIXTH ST. Phone green 1384.

HAVE YOUR PAINTING AND PAPERING done by responsible parties. Walter, 317 E.

JORDAN'S PIONEER CARPET-CLEANING WORKS, 641 S. Broadway. Tel. main 917.

WHILE YOU WAIT—MEN'S SOLES, 25c; LADIES', 20c; children's, 15c. 232 SPRING.

SCREEN DOORS, 75c; SCREENS, 35c. ADAMS MFG. CO., 742 S. Main. Tel. red 2731.

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Help, Male.

HUMMEL BROS. & CO.,
EMPLOYMENT AGENTS.
A Strictly First-class, Reliable Agency. All kinds of help promptly furnished.
Your orders solicited.
200-202 W. Second st., basement California Bank Building.
Telephone 509.
(Office open from 7 a.m. to 7:30 p.m., except Sunday.)
MEN'S DEPARTMENT.
Scraper teamsters, $1.50; man and wife, $25 etc.; tunnel man, contract; 4 men, clear land by the acre; floor man for livery, $35; coachman, $30 etc.; milkers, $25 etc., $30 etc.; married man, $30 and found; 3 men with teams and scrapers; ranch hands, $20 etc., $25 etc. and $26 etc.; helper with well crew, $1 etc.; boy learn painting; boy learn blacksmithing; orchard hands, $1 per day; cook, $30; woodman, $25 etc.; barber, country; butter-maker, $30 etc.; ranch foreman, $40 etc.; buggy-washer, $20 etc.; hostler, $25 etc.; gardener, $20 etc.; cabinet-maker, to travel, $1.75 and expenses; stableman, country, $20 etc.; chore boy, $12 etc.; cook for feeders, $7; irrigators, $20 etc.; laborers, $1.50; colored man and wife, $40 etc.
MEN'S HOTEL DEPARTMENT.
Chef cook, Arizona, $75 etc.; second cook, restaurant, country, $12 etc.; 2 colored waiters, $25 etc.; dishwasher, $7 etc.; third baker, $12 week; kitchen helper, $20 etc.; ranch cook, $20 etc.; cake baker, $9 etc.; laundryman, $10 week; baker's helper, $20 etc.; dishwasher, country, $22.50 etc.; soda dispenser, $12 week; man and wife, cooks, $40 etc.; silver man, $15 etc.; dishwasher, camp, $15 etc.; shop baker, country, $12 etc. week.
HOUSEHOLD DEPARTMENT.
Second girl, country, $25; housekeeper, can take child, country, $15; housegirl, can take child, city, $15; first-class colored girl, $25; one $18; 2 housegirls, Arizona, each and fare; housegirls for good places, city and country.
LADIES' HOTEL DEPARTMENT.
Extra waitresses, Riverside, $1 day and fare; waitresses, Arizona, $22.50; country and city, $20; 2 waitresses, country hotel, $25 and fare; cook and helper, country, $50; cook, city, $20; one country, $30; one $40; steamship stewardess, $40; young girl, wait candy store, do some waiting table, country, $5 week; waitresses, city restaurants, $6, $7 and $8 etc. 11
HUMMEL BROS. & CO.

C. R. HANSEN & CO.,
EMPLOYMENT AGENTS.
123½-125½-127½ W. Second st. Open 7 a.m. to 6 p.m. Main office, 6 F., established 1876. Registration free. Correspondence solicited.

Pastry cook, $50; 2 second bakers, $45 and board; 2d and 3d at 4 week and found; second cook, $6 a week; oyster opener, hotel, $35 and found; kitchen hand, beach, $20; 2 ranch teamsters, 1st and hand; 2 orchard hands, $25; 4 woodchoppers, $1.50 a cord; young man with wheel to do collecting; boy to deliver papers 2 hours a day; waiter for a short time, $5 week; livery stable, $20; hostler, $20 and found; others; 2 men to make themselves useful around a ranch, $20 and found.
LADIES' DEPARTMENT.
Woman cook for vegetables only, country hotel, $35; pastry cook, $7 a week, no Sundays; 2 waitresses, Bakersfield, $20; first-class arm waitress, $7 a week; housegirls city and country, Arizona, $25, free fare.
C. R. HANSEN & CO.

WANTED — GOOD, RELIABLE, EASTERN experienced salesmen for California situations; steady man about 30 for collecting, etc., security required; business manager for Riverside store; bright office men with and without experience. Apply to INDUSTRIAL AND COMMERCIAL BUREAU, 218 S. Broadway. 11

WANTED—AT Y.M.C.A., STENOGRAPHER and typewriter; must be accurate accountant; porter for hotel; porter for boarding-house; silver man for hotel; collector for paper; boy for store. Call after 5:30 a.m. 11

WANTED—
Help, Male.

WANTED—
REID'S EMPLOYMENT AGENCY,
126 E. First st. Tel. main 1084.
Railroad teamsters, $2 and $2; free fare.
Man and wife for ranch, $40.
Ranch hands, country, $20 and $25.
Milkers, must herd, $30.
Orchard man, Redlands, $25.
Cook for country, $35.
Day porter for city, $16.
Silver man, $15; second cook, $8 week.
Tunnel men, country, $2.50 day.
Dishwashers, $5 and $6; waiters, $6 and $7.
Man for private place, $20.
Man for stable work, $20 and board.
FEMALE DEPARTMENT.
Confectionery store girl, see employer at 10 a.m.; second girl, country, $20; mixed work, country, $20; laundry starcher, pastry cook, $8; cook, boarding-house, $30; waitresses, city and beach, $5 to $7; one to learn waiting; housegirls, $16 to $25; restaurant dishwashers and kitchen helpers. 11

WANTED — A BUTTER-MAKER, MILKER, produce salesman, country store, porter, real estate office man, baker's helper, store boys, private place, mechanical and assorted help free. EDWARD HITTINGER, 234 S. Spring. 11

WANTED—EVERYWHERE, HUSTLERS TO tack signs, distribute circulars, samples, etc.; no canvassing; good pay. SUN ADVERTISING BUREAU, Chicago.

WANTED — MEN TO LEARN BARBER trade; only 2 months required. For particulars call or address GORDON BARBER COLLEGE, 417 N. Main st. 15

WANTED—SELL YOUR OLD JEWELRY and silverware at mint prices to WM. T. SMITH & CO., the gold refiners and assayers, 114 N. Main st.

WANTED—A SMART MAN WITH LITTLE money; $100 per week made easily; show outfit for the road. See OWNER, 501 Temple st. 11

WANTED—EXPERIENCED BOOK-KEEPER; wages $50 a month. CHARLES W. ALLEN, Hellman Block, cor. Second and Broadway.

WANTED—GOOD, RELIABLE BOY, ABOUT 15 years old, willing to learn tailoring; wages to start. Apply 223 S. BROADWAY. 11

WANTED — COUPLE HEALTH-SEEKERS; ranch accommodations free; some work. Address B, box 18, TIMES OFFICE. 11

WANTED—TO SELL PLATING OUTFIT AT sacrifice; big money to be made. Address B, box 2, TIMES OFFICE. 11

WANTED—MAN WITH A FEW HUNDRED dollars and good security; good salary. "GOOD, 111 E. Second. 11

WANTED—COAT, VEST, TROUSER MAKers and bushelman. GEO. P. TAYLOR, 220½ S. Spring st. 11

WANTED—GENTLEMAN WITH BUSINESS views. Call at 355 S. BROADWAY, room 1, after 5 p.m. 11

WANTED—A STRONG BOY, WILLING TO work; wages week, $3 and dinner. 317 S. MAIN. 11

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"THE SOUTHERN OIL FIELDS."

This is the general title of the descriptive and statistical matter which The Times is preparing for publication, within a few days, in a special Oil Number. The issue will appear between the 20th and 25th of April. It will present a mass of carefully-gathered facts, statistics and timely information regarding the petroleum industry of California, with production, markets and prices, including a detailed description of the various fields. A very numerous extra edition will be printed, in addition to the full regular edition, so that large orders for this special Oil Number can be filled. It will circulate among thousands of people abroad who are able and willing to become investors in California, and will consequently be a valuable medium for oil-land and oil-well advertisers.

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ROPING IN SCHOOL CHILDREN.

The pro-Boer political boomers, not satisfied with their efforts to manufacture anti-Republican sentiment by working up mass-meetings (ostensibly to express sympathy for the Boers, but in reality to denounce and embarrass the administration,) have taken to working the school children. It would be difficult to imagine anything more picturesquely asinine than the proceedings at the "Philadelphia schoolboys' pro-Boer rally," which was held in the City of Brotherly Love on Monday evening. To make the affair as spectacular as possible, a call for a district messenger was turned in from the stage and according to the pre-arranged programme the call was answered by a fourteen-year-old boy, attired as a district messenger, and he was given a message purporting to be from the schoolboys of Philadelphia, with instructions to proceed to Pretoria and deliver the same into the hands of President Kruger. The whole affair was conducted in a most ostentatious and flamboyant manner, indicative of anything but an honest and sincere desire to express genuine sympathy for the Boers in their struggle against Great Britain.

"The primary object of the gathering" as stated in the dispatches to have been to send the message to Kruger. Such was not the primary object of the gathering. The affair was arranged, it is evident, as other so-called pro-Boer meetings have been arranged, primarily for the purpose of affording to opponents of the President and his administration an opportunity to air their bombast and vent their spleen. The wily politicians who have engineered the greater number of these pro-Boer meetings, as most readers have probably noticed, are political opponents of the administration. When Republicans have participated, it has been, as a rule, because they were under the misapprehension that the meeting was really what it purported to be, for the purpose of expressing sympathy for the Boer cause, and not a political gathering in disguise, called together for the primary purpose of denouncing the administration. The Philadelphia "schoolboys'" meeting was addressed by those guileless young schoolboys, W. Bourke Cockran and Webster Davis; and that other giddy young thing, Edwin Markham, author of "The Man With the Hoe," recited an alleged poem.

As The Times has before observed, there is an all-too-evident purpose on the part of certain opponents of the administration to turn to their own political advantage, if possible, the natural sympathy of a considerable proportion of the American people for the Boer cause. Of course this attempt is demagogical and insincere in the last degree. The administration has gone as far as it ought to have gone in the matter of the South African war. It even went further than any European power cared to go, in transmitting to the British government the intimation of Presidents Kruger and Steyn that they would like to open negotiations for peace. Great Britain's reply was dignified and courteous, but so firm as to admit of but one interpretation. The reply of the British government was precisely the same as ours would have been under similar circumstances had the conditions been reversed. At no stage of the war between the United States and Spain, or of the insurrectionary war in the Philippines, would we have tolerated intermeddling by any foreign nation. No more will the English government tolerate interference in the present war. And those foolish intermeddlers who are egging on the administration to offer an open insult to England are neither friends of our own government nor of the Boers; for their advice, if our government were to follow it, would speedily involve us in the bloodiest war of our history, or of the world's history, while the encouragement which they extend to the Boers only tends to induce the latter to continue in a costly and hopeless struggle, and to make the terms of peace harder and harder for them.

Honest expressions of sympathy for the Boers are one thing. Attempts to coin that sympathy into political capital are quite another thing. Republicans who respect themselves and are loyal to their party must needs be careful lest they be betrayed into seeming disloyalty toward their party through the machinations of the designing demagogues who are striving to use the Boer cause for political capital. Probably as many Republicans as Democrats sympathize with Kruger and his cause. But no Republican need abate one jot or tittle of his party loyalty because of his sympathy for the Boers. Neither the President nor his party is "lined up" on the one side nor the other in this conflict. As individuals, all American citizens are privileged to sympathize with the one side or the other, as they see fit. But our government is bound to maintain a position of strict neutrality; and that is precisely what it has done and will do in the premises.

In another part of The Times this morning will be found an extended report of the speech delivered by W. J. Bryan at the Velodrome last evening, before an audience which taxed the capacity of that large structure. Mr. Bryan, as the reader will note, advanced the same old thread-bare arguments that he has been putting forth for the past two or three years. His address was devoted principally to finding fault with existing conditions, as a matter of course. Fault-finding is Bryan's strong forte. But—the speech is printed practically in full, and the reader will judge for himself as to its merits and demerits.

The farmers and stockmen of Western Kansas are suffering greatly from the ravages of prairie dogs, which move in great crowds, and leave no green thing in their wake. Kansas is indeed in hard luck, as between grasshoppers, cyclones, prairie dogs, Populists, and other pests, But there is some hope in the reflection that the worst of all these scourges, the Populist, has been materially abated during the past three years.

Mr. Bryan has but one remedy for all the ills to which the body politic is subject. He takes a great many words to tell the people what his one remedy is; but he could tell it in three words, if he were honest enough to do so by saying: "Elect Me President." Mr. Bryan professes to believe that this nauseous nostrum would cure all political, social, and economic maladies. But he knows better, and also do the people.

It is time for Congress to consider the advisability of repealing the war revenue taxes, or some of them. The surplus revenue now amounts to from $6,000,000 to $8,000,000 monthly, notwithstanding the heavy expenses of the government. It will not do, of course, to reduce the revenue below the needs of the government; but it would probably be safe to lop off some of the more burdensome of the war taxes, at least.

New Jersey has a pauper who recently celebrated his 128th birthday anniversary. The good die young.

OIL—AND WIND.

The oil business has become a craze in Los Angeles. That is apparent to everybody. Oil companies are being formed on every side. On the street, in the shop, in the office, oil and oil stocks are discussed. To old-timers on the Pacific Coast this brings a recollection of the days of the Comstock, when every other man you met on the street was a millionaire in embryo. In this case caution is needed. There is money in oil. There are millions in oil. But, on the other hand, there are plenty of good chances to lose all the spare money you have in oil stocks which have no value.

So far, business on the Los Angeles Oil Exchange has been conducted on a more or less legitimate basis. The Exchange has, heretofore, wisely decided to rule against non-productive oil companies and dealing in "futures." It is understood that a movement is now under way to break down this safe barrier. That would be a mistake. The legitimate oil industry is one thing. It is big enough for a generation. The fake oil-share company business is quite different. It bears the same relation to the legitimate industry of developing petroleum as do the mussels barnacled on the Port Los Angeles wharf to the shipments that are made from that point.

The Times believes, and has given reasons for such belief, that California is destined to become the leading oil-producing State of the Union. It does not, however, by any means follow that every company organized for the purpose of developing oil is worthy of the confidence of investors. Let us go slow; and let the sound companies be clearly separated in the public mind from the rotten concerns doing business upon wind and water instead of upon oil.

Bryan says he has examined the corpse of free silver, and in his opinion "it has life enough left to last another year." Not so sure about that. An awful odor has been coming from the place where it was buried, since Bryan began digging around in that vicinity. If the thing isn't a corpse, there's something mighty badly decayed in Denmark, so to speak.

"I was a lawyer until I became so busy prosecuting the Republican party for grand larceny that I have had no time to go for lesser offenders," says Mr. Bryan. But they do say that Bryan was so bad a lawyer that he couldn't make a decent living at it, and so had to turn to politics, as many a cheap pettifogger has done before him.

And now it is reported that Admiral Dewey will "withdraw from the Presidential race." It must be confessed that the Admiral's little boom was of exceedingly tender growth, and it is extremely doubtful whether it would have withstood the chilling blasts of November.

The Boers are becoming venturesome in the vicinity of Bloemfontein, and Lord Roberts is ominously quiet. There is likely to be another case of Cronje one of these days, if the Boer commanders don't "look a leedle oudt."

Texas is having tornadoes as well as floods. If it be true that "whom the Lord loveth he chasteneth," the Texans must be in high favor just now.

G. Cleveland, at least, has ratified the Hay-Pauncefote treaty, Davis amendment and all. Can the Senate still refuse?

MARILAO RIVER.

REPULSE OF THE INSURGENTS AFTER A HARD BATTLE.

[From "Campaigning in the Philippines:"] During the forenoon of the 27th of March, the Second Brigade advanced toward the Marilao River, the South Dakotas acting as advance guard, the Nebraskans and Pennsylvanians as the main body. At noon the insurrectos opened fire upon the advance skirmish line of the South Dakotas (Maj. Howard's battalion) from entrenchments in the woods south of the river. This line pressed on, and Lieut.-Col. Stover and Maj. Allison rushed forward their battalions to its support, Col. Frost personally superintending the advance of the entire line. The Filipinos contended foot by foot for the ground. From one line of trenches to the next they fell back. Then they crossed the river and formed in a strong trenches there. Again the victorious Americans pursued them, the South Dakotas wading waist-deep in the stream, and with wild cheers, charged up the opposite bank on the sullen foe. After one of the hardest fought battles of the campaign, the Filipinos were again routed. The South Dakota regiment losing three officers and six men killed and twenty-three men wounded. Admiration is divided between the wild valor of the Americans and the courageous defense of the Filipinos. All through the afternoon they kept up a desultory fire from the woods across the plain to the north and a bitter enfilading fire along the north bank of the river, wounding several of our men, who returned their attacks with spirit, the enemy evidently covering in this way his obstinate retreat.

As night came on, large bodies of insurrectos, apparently brought from the north by trains formed and deployed along the north side of the plain, 2000 yards away, covering the entire front of MacArthur's division. These at once began a hot fusillade all along our lines. The Third Artillery (First Brigade) on the left of the railroad replied with Krag-Jorgensens. Gen. Hale found his line exposed on the right to a galling enfilading fire, and instructed his troops to lie low behind their entrenchments until the enemy were within 600 yards before returning their fire. This order was given in view of the fact that the Springfield rifle is much inferior in range to the Mauser of the Filipinos. On this occasion it seems that the enemy pressed very closely upon the right flank of the Nebraskans, who charged before the order was given. The rest of the regiment, seeing their comrades pursuing the foe, joined in the charge and drove the insurrectos across the plain two miles to a wooded ridge. The South Dakotas were sent forward half way across the plain to support the Nebraskans, who were afterwards withdrawn to the river, where the whole brigade encamped for the night.

[The handsome volume from which the foregoing extracts are taken is the leading authority on the war in the Philippines. It is superbly printed and bound, and lavishly illustrated, containing more than three hundred fine half-tone pictures of actual war scenes—views taken on the firing line, views of war ships, views taken within the Filipino lines, views of marching, skirmishing, swimming rivers and camping. It is a book for every Californian, and especially for every California soldier, to secure and preserve. The Times offers it to subscribers as a premium. Ask by letter or at the office for terms and conditions.]

THE CLANS GATHERING.

TWO THOUSAND INVITATIONS FOR LEADING REPUBLICANS.

President and His Cabinet, All the Governors, Senators and Congressmen, Included—Enthusiastic Woman's Club—City Ward Organizations and Other Clubs Getting into Line.

The local Executive Committee, in order to bring to Los Angeles the leading Republican speakers and party workers during the convention of the California League of Republican Clubs the 27th and 28th inst., will today issue 2000 handsomely engraved invitations to prominent Republicans throughout the United States and the State. The President heads the list of invited guests. All the Cabinet officers follow, together with prominent Congressmen, Senators, National Committeemen, and other workers. All the Governors of the several States also will be invited, and the full Congressional delegation from California and the Pacific Coast has been included to accept the hospitalities of Los Angeles in the last week of this month.

The Executive Committee of the Convention Committee of the State League of Republican Clubs was to have met last evening, but, on account of the unavoidable absence of Col. Stone, the meeting was postponed till Saturday evening.

ENTHUSIASTIC WOMEN.

Among the enthusiastic workers in the State the Woman's Republican State Central Club of San Francisco, numbering 159 members, seems to take the lead. This club has reported its delegates. They are Mrs. Nellie A. Darling, at large; Mrs. F. Ubhouse, Mrs. Addie M. Billings, Mrs. Lizzie C. Nobles, Mrs. J. Mary Bailey and Mrs. Elizabeth Sloper. The Executive Committee will see to it that this club is given a prominent position on the convention floor.

CITY WARD CLUBS.

The Fifth Ward Republican Club has been called to meet at the Masonic Hall at Thirtieth and Main streets tomorrow evening, to select delegates to the forthcoming convention.

The Eighth Ward Republican Club reports that it is fully organized for business, and that accessions to its membership are daily reported. W. D. Shearer is president and R. O. Bell secretary. This club will meet a few days to select delegates and alternates.

The McKinley Club of Pico Heights, in the Fourth Ward, will meet tomorrow evening at the office of R. H. Frost, No. 2823 West Pico street.

The Seventh Ward Republican Club was organized Monday night with a membership of 325. G. W. Knox is president, J. L. Moore secretary, and Charles Von der Kuhlen treasurer.

The Third Ward Republican Club is now in full working order, having met Monday night and elected the following officers: Henry E. Carter, president; Herman C. Lichtenberger, vice-president; Walter Allen, secretary, and A. E. Woolner, treasurer. This club will meet in the rooms of the Union League tonight to elect delegates to the convention, and take suitable action for the entertainment of its friends from the north.

The Second Ward Republican Club met last night at Bouttier's Hall, corner of Bellevue, and Bunker Hill avenues, and perfected organization by the election of the following officers: President, Oscar Lawler; first vice-president, Thomas Hughes; second vice-president, Thomas Goss; secretary, E. E. Bostwick; treasurer, Oscar Upright. The club has a charter membership of 150. Delegates were selected to the coming league convention. The three ex-officio delegates are the president, secretary and treasurer. The delegate at large is the first vice-president, and his alternate the second vice-president. The four delegates are Dr. W. Lemoyne Wills, George P. McLain, M. E. Copeland and Fred J. Fischer. The alternates are Dwight Fargo, R. Livingston, G. Curtis DeGarmo and R. A. Brown. The next meeting will be held before the time for the selection of delegates to the Republican State Convention.

The University Republican Club will meet tonight in Howard's Hall, corner of Thirty-eighth and Wesley avenue. The selection of delegates to the convention of the State League of Republican Clubs will probably be made tonight.

COMPTON M'KINLEY CLUB.

The Republicans of Compton have organized an active club with a membership of 100, to be known as the Compton McKinley Club. The officers are: President, W. H. Carpenter; vice-president, D. M. Crum; treasurer, A. L. Holcombe; secretary, J. H. Williams. J. J. Morton, J. N. Green, A. J. Taylor and Ed Haskins are the Executive Committee. The organization hopes to double its membership within a few weeks. A rousing meeting was held Saturday evening, and delegates were elected to the State League of Republican Clubs Convention. W. H. Carpenter was chosen delegate-at-large. The other delegates are J. J. Morton, D. M. Crum, J. P. Hald and Harry Taylor.

OJAI REPUBLICAN CLUB.

The Ojai Republican Club of Nordhoff has elected eight delegates to the convention. The president writes the Executive Committee that the entire delegation will be present, together with a large number of Republican workers. The officers of the club for the year are Willis M. Slosson, President; John W. Heck, secretary, and B. F. Spencer, treasurer.

TRIUMPHAL CAR.

WAS RECENTLY EXCAVATED AT PHILIPPOPOLIS.

[London Daily News:] Writing from Philippopolis under date of the 4th inst., Reuter's correspondent says: "An interesting discovery has lately been made by M. Georges Seure, associate of the University of France, and a member of the French Archaeological School at Athens, in the shape of a Thracian triumphal car of the later Roman period, or about the fourth century A. D. It was excavated in the tumulus called Douhova (ghosts' mound,) at the foot of the Rhodopes, near the village of Pastousha, situated to the southwest of Philippopolis. In this barrow must have been buried the servants and belongings of some great general, who evidently fell in some battle fought close by. All the metallic fittings of the chariot, with small bronze figures as decorations, and the harness for one horse, were found, together with five human skulls and several semi-decayed swords and lances. M. Seure has put the whole together in perfect order, and the complete chariot is now exhibited in the museum here, with several earthenware pots and lachrymatories, also found in the barrow. By the express desire of Prince Ferdinand, who came down to see these interesting relics of antiquity, the chariot will remain in this town. The discovery has so pleased his Royal Highness that he has offered to give from his private purse the sum of f.10,000, to which the Bulgarian government will add f.5000 and the French another f.5000 for the purpose of continuing these archaeological researches in the country.

M. Seure states that this is the third Roman chariot discovered. One of the two others, in marble, is preserved in the Vatican Museum at Rome.

THE POLITICAL TERRAIN.

SHOTS.

A Bryan and Sulzer ticket would be able to talk at both ends almost incessantly.

Naturally, the Democratic donkey will resent the advent of the automobile.

Deviating from his well-established system of political rotation, the Hon. Carl Schurz, it is reported, will support McKinley this year.

The Democratic leaders should not place too much confidence in the ability of the walking delegates to maintain strikes.

There is not enough in the Van Wyck Presidential boom to justify its promoters paying the transportation charges to Kansas City.

The Hon. Arthur Sewall desires it to be distinctly understood that he will not act as bagholder on any more political snipe-hunting expeditions.

The United States cannot properly market her surplus products as long as foreign vessel-owners fix the rates of transportation.

One lone man held up an entire train in the suburbs of Omaha the other day. This seems to be the fashion in Nebraska. The entire Democratic party is being held up by a lone Nebraska man.

It is said that Mr. Bryan will not make any speeches in Kentucky this year. It will be recalled that Mr. Bryan cooperated with the Kentucky Democrats last year.

The Constitution will have to worry along in an unchaperoned condition while the Hon. Joe Bailey is in Texas coaxing the people to send him to the United States Senate.

When American products are carried to all parts of the world in American bottoms the politicians who are opposing progress will be made to see their mistake.

The production of silver in the United States in 1899 was 57,700,000 ounces, as compared with 54,590,000 in 1898 and 53,850,000 in 1897. This was a considerable increase in production, with no advance in price to stimulate it.

Bishop Potter willingly and manfully acknowledges he was wrong in his opposition to expansion. The opinion of the man who has the courage to admit his errors is much more valuable than that of the person who stubbornly sticks to a mistake.

The Hon. James K. Jones, chairman of the Democratic National Committee, declares that he is no longer connected with the round bale trust. Like the Hon. Mose Wetmore, Chairman Jones secured the right to denounce trusts by selling out to one at a handsome profit.

Mr. Bryan may later on claim that his privileges of heading the Kansas City ticket and dictating the platform should give to him the right to name his running mate. He could do all this in order to emphasize his well-known opposition to bossism.

The Democratic Memphis Commercial-Appeal deprecates a persecution of Kentucky Republicans, and intimates that the close friends of Mr. Goebel cast suspicion upon their part in the wretched affair when they declined to permit a post-mortem examination to be held.

The voters of South Dakota have an opportunity this year which rarely comes to such a young State. The retirement of the Hon. Richard Grumbling Pettigrew, under an avalanche of ballots, will be a fine testimonial to the intelligence and patriotism of South Dakota.

The Hon. Don M. Dickinson says he had hoped that the Democratic party would be allowed to write its platform this year. Mr. Dickinson has been entirely too hopeful. The Democratic party is too securely in the hands of its Populist bosses to admit of anything of that sort.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

"What Lincoln was to his country in his day, McKinley is to the country today; and the nation which expressed its endorsement of Lincoln by reelecting him to the Presidency will set a similar mark of approbation on the latest of his distinguished successors." So says American Commerce and Industries, the organ of the commercial travelers of the United States.

When the Democratic Governor of Idaho called out the troops to suppress rioting and destruction of property he gave serious offense to the Sulsers and the Lentzes in his party. Democratic leaders never were quite agreed upon such questions. It will be recalled that upon the occasion of the Chicago riots a Democratic Governor, seeking political capital, encouraged the disorder and lawlessness, and a Democratic President sent Gen. Miles and his troops to bring order out of chaos. Inconsistency, incompetency and incompatibility are specialties of the Democratic party.

The money circulation of the country, which was $1,509,725,200 on July 1, 1896, had increased to $2,003,851,791 on March 1, 1900. This was a gain of nearly five hundred million dollars in three years and a half. Of this increase $295,150,584 was in gold coin and gold certificates. During the same length of time, what could the free silverites have done if they had secured control of the government? According to their own theories, they would have had a large number of "50-cent dollars to pay debts with."

Just at the present time, when the Democrats in Congress pretend to wax indignant over the "violated rights" of the people of Puerto Rico, it is interesting to read some of the Democratic utterances regarding the rights of the colored race under the Constitution. Senator Morgan of Alabama in a speech on the floor of the Senate a month ago, said: "In physical, mental, social, inventive, religious and ruling power the African race holds the lowest place, as it has since the world has had a history and it is noible boast that the white man holds the highest place. To force this lowest stratum into a position of political equality with the highest is only to clog the progress of all mankind in its march, ever strenuous and in proper order, toward the highest planes of human aspiration."

FARM ANIMAL VALUES.

SOME CONVINCING STATISTICS.

Farmers have not yet forgotten how the value of their live stock depreciated in value when Grover Cleveland was President, the loss being more than $800,000,000 during his last term of office. It will interest them now to study how they advanced again under the McKinley administration. The following table gives the official figures of the Department of Agriculture:

January 1.	Value.	
1891	$2,329,787,770	Harrison,
1892	2,461,755,698	UP.
1893	2,483,506,681	
1894	$2,179,816,754	
1895	1,819,446,306	Cleveland,
1896	1,727,926,084	DOWN.
1897	1,685,414,612	
1898	$1,888,654,925	
1899	1,997,010,407	McKinley,
1900	*2,042,650,713	UP.

*Not including swine, valued at $170,109,743 in 1899.

Under President Harrison, in the two years from January 1, 1891, to January 1, 1893, the value of all live stock on American farms increased by $154,000,000.

During the four following years, under President Cleveland, the farmers lost upwards of $320,000,000 through the smaller market value of their live stock.

But under McKinley prosperity the farmers have again benefited. Placing the market value of all American hogs on the farms, at the beginning of this year, only on the same basis as on January 1, 1899, then the Department of Agriculture's figures show a total gain of $557,000,000 in the value of all farm animals during the three years that William McKinley has been President. Here are the facts:

Harrison gain	$154,000,000
Cleveland loss	320,000,000
McKinley gain, three years	557,000,000

MINES AND MINING.

THE LOW-GRADE ORES THAT MADE COLORADO WEALTHY.

Shipments to Silver City—Valuable Mica Mine—Report of Arizona Copper Company—The Rich Pay Roll. Sandy Camp in Nevada—Mining Notes.

The large increase in the gold production of Colorado during the year 1899 was one of the mineral surprises of that year. It is worth while noting to what that increase was due. The Mining Reporter of Denver draws attention to it in the following:

"Colorado has been made famous by her high-grade mines. She has been made prosperous by her low-grade mines. Her future greatness will come almost entirely from her large bodies of ore carrying values so low that the cost of mining, transportation and treatment will nearly absorb them. The ideal mining enterprise is one where large and inexhaustible ore bodies furnish continuous employment and steady profit."

Without wishing to detract from the credit due to the mining men of Colorado in the success that has attended their efforts to open up and bring to a profitable point their large bodies of low-grade ores, it can be confidently asserted that Southern California possesses as many low-grade gold-bearing bodies of ore that can be worked under conditions equally as favorable as exist in Colorado, and be made equally as profitable. It might indeed be said that sufficient is already known of the Rand, Ballenacher, Virginia Dale, Perris, Julian and other districts to warrant the assertion that their gold-bearing ore bodies are, in extent and average values, superior to those of Colorado. The only thing so far lacking in connection with them are confidence and perseverance in the development of them.

SHIPMENTS FROM ARIZONA.

The Silver City (N. M.,) Enterprise reports that the reduction works in that city has again commenced to receive large shipments from Arizona. Under a former management it had decided, as was noted at the time in this column, to close these works, but sufficient influence was brought to bear upon the owners to keep them open, and this was backed up by promises to keep the works supplied with ore. Under the new management a large freight car scale has been put in, and a switch is being built into the mill so that the ore can be weighed and then dumped right into the crushers. Formerly the ore was wheeled by four small cars pulled by mules from the freight cars to the crushers. The new improvements, when completed, will, the Enterprise says, save a great deal of time and expense in handling the ore.

VALUABLE MICA MINE.

What is stated to be a "bonanza" mica property has been discovered twenty-six miles east of Moscow, in Idaho. The discovery was made on what is called Mica Mountain, and the product is said to be of so large a size as to permit of its being cut into squares of from twelve to fifteen inches. There is plenty of mica in Southern California, but no serious effort, so far as known, has been made to determine whether the deposits could be profitably worked.

OREGON'S QUARTZ MINES.

In discussing the work of the lately formed Portland Mining Stock Exchange the Oregonian notes that the quartz mines of Oregon are reported to be yielding $5000 a day, the placer mines $7500 a day and that shipments of sulphurets, of which no accurate account is kept, amount to not less than $50,000 a year. According to a report made to the Seattle assay office, the State had had at the beginning of the present year 533 stamps and 150 more were being put in.

ARIZONA COPPER COMPANY.

The report of the Arizona Copper Company (Limited,) whose properties are in Arizona, and head offices in Edinburgh, Scotland, for the year ended September 30, 1899, has just been issued. It shows that the company realized from its mines during the year in question profits of $1,182,890, and from the operations of its railroad, $390,945. The company mined about 650 tons of ore daily, producing about 9000 tons of copper per annum. The average grade of the ore was 4 per cent., with little values in gold and silver. The gross value of the copper produced from each ton of ore, laid down in New York, averaged for the year $11.74, and the cost of mining, smelting, etc., about $6.66 per ton.

THE PAY ROLL MINE.

The Pay Roll, said to possess the largest vein in the Chloride district, Mojave county, Ariz., and noted for its immense fissures, is attracting very marked attention. A late report received in Los Angeles from Chloride about it states that at the bottom of the 200-foot shaft (sunk outside of the vein,) a cross-cut has been run, cutting the vein at greater depth, which tapped a flow of water so great as to drive the miners out. So great was the flow that it required a Cornish pump of 80,000 gallons daily capacity to bring it under control. When this had been done the miners returned to the cross-cut, which is described as a solid mass of shining mineral. Sixteen feet of ore had been cut through at last accounts, and as the vein is in places forty feet wide, it would be difficult to predict the magnitude of the ore bodies. Carload shipments of ore from this mine have averaged as high as $80 per ton in gold.

SANDY (NEV.,) CAMP.

The news from Sandy in Nevada, across the Colorado River from Manvel, in San Bernardino county, tells of a big lot of work being done in that camp. From the Potosi mine a carload of lead ore went out last week that averaged 66 per cent. lead, with gold and silver values. The shipment was made to Pueblo, Colo. Bybe and Smith, who own some fifty claims in the district, are doing a large amount of development work. They lately shipped to El Paso two carloads of ore—one of lead and the other of copper ore. J. R. Newberry of Los Angeles and his associates have commenced work on their Tam O'Shanter mine. They are working six men and will have a carload of lead ore ready for shipment in a few days. The ore on the Tam O'Shanter is similar to the ores of Leadville, Colo.

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...man Charged With Perjury.

...YORK, April 10.—George W. ...Arizona, who is said to be a ...mine and former Speaker of the ...Legislature, was arrested in ...City today at the request of the ...Attorney-General of Rhode Island. Ac... ...perjury alleged to have ...committed when he was arraigned, he is ...in Rhode Island to answer to ...charge of perjury alleged to have ...committed by him in a suit ...before the appellate division ...Supreme Court of that State for ...a divorce from his wife, Margaret J. ...Tull was remanded without bail.

Events in Society.

[Communications intended for the society columns of The Times must be signed, and must be written on only one side of the page. Anonymous announcements of society events, personals, etc., and those which, because they are written on both sides of a page, have to be rewritten, will receive no attention.]

Miss Carrie A. Neukom and Rev. Duncan Alexander McRae were married yesterday evening at 6 o'clock at the home of the bride, No. 224 East Twenty-seventh street. Rev. J. H. Gordon, former pastor of the Presbyterian Church at Pomona, officiated. He was assisted by Rev. Hugh K. Walker, pastor of Immanuel Presbyterian Church. The ceremony took place in the parlor under a canopy of smilax and white satin ribbons. White carnations and maidenhair ferns were also gracefully arranged in bouquets and placed here and there about the room. The dining-room was ornamented with Marie Antoinette roses and a canopy of smilax was formed overhead. Scarlet carnations, ferns and smilax were used in the library. The bride wore a handsome brown tailor-made gown. Refreshments were served after the service. Rev. McRae has been pastor of the Third Presbyterian Church in this city for the past three years, and the members of the church and congregation gave Rev. and Mrs. McRae a reception in the church parlors, corner of Hill and Sixteenth streets. From 8 until 10 o'clock the parlors were crowded with friends of the bride and groom. The church decorations were carried out in white and green, with callas, carnations, roses and foliage. Rev. and Mrs. McRae left on the 10:20 train last night for Vancouver, B. C., their future home. The bride came to Los Angeles five years ago from Pomona, since which time she has filled a position as teacher in the Los Angeles public schools. Many handsome presents were received, attesting the popularity of the couple. The wedding was a quiet one, witnessed by only relatives and a few friends, including Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Lane, Mr. and Mrs. E. Bailey, Rev. and Mrs. Hugh K. Walker, Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. G. McBain, Mr. and Mrs. W. Pople, Mr. and Mrs. A. Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Rebber, Mmes. Paxton, Keller, R. Wiedeman, Lizzie Hull, Katherine Moore, Thomas; Misses Flora Wiedeman, Ida Hull, Lulu Hull, Reba Hull, Lillie Hill, Mae Abbott, Emma Thornton, Laura Thomas, Dollie Hagenbaugh; Dr. W. T. McArthur; Messrs. Earl Rebber, Leland Rebber, U. Bowers.

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Mrs. Frank Higgins entertained the California Thimble Club yesterday afternoon at her temporary home, corner of Second and Hill streets. The decorations consisted of sweet peas, roses, and ferns. Mrs. A. C. Boyle assisted Mrs. Higgins in receiving and entertaining. The early part of the afternoon was devoted to needlework, after which the guests were entertained with music, contributed by Mrs. A. G. Bartlett, who sang several solos, accompanied on the piano by Mrs. W. H. Jamison, who also played a number of solos. A dainty luncheon was served. Those present were: Mmes. L. C. McKeeby, Harry Harrington, J. H. Race, Wolgamot, W. Bushnell, A. C. Boyle, A. G. Bartlett, W. H. Jamison; Misses Ella Race, Edythe Race, Sarah Hurst.

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Miss Bertha Rose entertained the members of the Entre Nous Club and a few other friends yesterday evening at her new home on West Thirtieth street. The rooms were beautifully decorated with red roses, smilax, bamboo and papyrus. The guests were entertained with guessing contests, followed by a musical and literary programme. Among those present were the following: Misses Florence Tilden, Helen Hoose, Ethel Hardy, Mary Widney, Helen Merriman, Clara Lipe, Helen Christie, Clara Pennel, Winnie Healy, Frances Kerr, Marie Turner, Jessie Wood; Messrs. Matthew Holmes, Philo Jones, L. T. Bradford, Jack Hull, Roy Arnold, Harry Budlong, Harry Tilden, Frank Wellington, Clarence Heaton, Guy Pauline, Claire Enyeart, Harry Briggs, Charles Rose.

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Mr. and Mrs. N. Benjamin gave a delightful surprise party Monday evening to Mr. and Mrs. J. Bramberger at their home on Temple street, in celebration of their eleventh wedding anniversary. The guests were entertained with dancing, games and music. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. L. Newman, Mr. and Mrs. Simon Pinto, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Levy, Mr. and Mrs. A. Kuhn, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Marcus; Mmes. S. Franklin, L. Wartenberg, F. Federman, M. Danziger; Misses Julia Wartenberg, Ida Franklin, Grace Sherwood, Agnes Kuhn, Selma Bramberger, Pauline Bramberger, Gussie Benjamin; Messrs. H. Sherwood, H. Cohn, B. Franklin, E. I. Franklin, J. Wartenberg, H. Whitehead, C. Wanderkahn, H. Benjamin, D. Benjamin, I. Pinto.

NOTES AND PERSONALS.

Mrs. William Shemwell of Orchard avenue has gone to Colorado Springs, Colo., for a month's stay.

Miss Carrie M. Brodbeck and Edwin S. Chase will be married this evening at the home of the bride's brother, Dr. H. W. Brodbeck, on North Soto street, Boyle Heights.

Mrs. Lillian Robinson entertained the members of the United Daughters of the Confederacy yesterday afternoon at her home, corner of Orchard avenue and Twenty-ninth street.

Sergeant and Mrs. W. T. Jeffries have returned from their wedding trip, and are located at No. 1636 Rockwod street.

Miss M. Edith Haines has returned from New York, where she has been pursuing her studies in music for the last six months.

F. E. Sutherland and family are recent arrivals from Dubuque, Iowa, to make Los Angeles their home. Mr. Sutherland is the guest of his mother and brother, Mrs. M. A. and Charles J. Folger, No. 746 East Twenty-first street.

Old Private Bank Fails.

COLUMBUS (O.) April 10.—Reinhard & Co.'s private bank closed its doors at noon today. The firm filed a deed of assignment, followed immediately by the assignments of John G. and Henry Reinhard. Henry T. Abernathy was named as assignee. No statement of assets or liabilities was filed. The assignment covers all personal property and real estate. On Saturday the Messrs. Reinhard gave two mortgages for $10,000 each on the bank building. The bank was one of the old institutions of the city, and the failure caused great surprise.

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[THE PUBLIC SERVICE.]

REVERSES ITSELF.

POLICE BOARD UNDOES GOOD WORK, JUST BEGUN.

Restores a Revoked License and Removes a Suspension at the Request of a Brewery Representative.

Wife Loses Her Inheritance and Alleges Herself to Be the Victim of Her Husband and His Schemes.

Z. Ptomy, Accused of Criminal Assault, Discharged—Successful Aspirants to the Bar—Marceau Matters Fixed.

Far from continuing its work for the enforcement of the laws, begun at its last meeting, when it revoked a saloon license, suspended another and took steps to suspend a third, the Board of Police Commissioners yesterday undid all its work of that kind, restored the revoked license, and removed the suspension. This action was taken at the request of an attorney of a representative of a brewery, who declared that they intended to test the law under which the board is acting. The board agreed to suspend action for thirty days. In a case appealed last July and still undecided the board dismissed a citation against the owner of the saloon, and the case will be dropped.

Patrolman F. M. Fowler has been suspended from duty by the Chief of Police, who has filed with the Board of Police Commissioners charges that the officer has received other consideration than his salary for services as a police officer. The board will take action at its next meeting.

The claim of E. C. Schnabel for damages against the city because of injuries received in a collision with the patrol wagon has been dismissed by the Board of Police Commissioners on the ground that the claimant was guilty of contributory negligence.

Another effort to establish a saloon at the corner of Macy and Alameda streets, not far from the Macy-street school, has failed. The Board of Police Commissioners yesterday refused an application for the transfer of a license to that corner.

Mrs. Lola A. Pratt is in Judge Allen's court suing her husband, Charles Pratt, and others, to secure an accounting. She inherited $20,000 from her mother in 1882. Her husband handled it and she believes he has made away with most of it, save $6000.

Z. Ptomy, charged with criminally assaulting his thirteen-year-old sister-in-law, Louise Linde, was discharged by Justice James yesterday. Ptomy proved an alibi.

Mrs. Marceau may visit "Theo" at Hotel Westminster any day she wishes from 3 to 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

A large number of candidates for admission to the bar were examined by the Justices of the Supreme Court yesterday.

[AT THE CITY HALL.]

SURE CASE OF "COLD FEET."

POLICE COMMISSION RETRACTS ITS FORMER PROCEEDINGS.

Saloon-keepers, Convicted of Violating the Law, Secure Restoration of Their Licenses—Claim for Damages Denied—Effort to Establish a Saloon Near Macy-street School Fails.

From 10 o'clock yesterday morning until 4 in the afternoon, with an intermission of less than an hour at noon, the Board of Police Commissioners was in session. The meeting was a remarkable one in several ways, but in no way more so than in the flat reversal by the board of the position which it had taken only a week before, with reference to the enforcement of the ordinances adopted for the regulation of the saloon business. At the last meeting the board began to make good the promises made by its members when they took office, that the ordinances should be enforced, and that violators of the law should be punished. The board actually revoked one saloon license, its first, suspended another license, and cited a third saloon man to appear and show cause why his license should not be suspended. It had been given out that at the meeting yesterday a resolution would be introduced providing that conviction in the police courts of violation of the saloon ordinances would carry with it the suspension of licenses pending appeals, and it appeared for a time that the board had become imbued with a determination to do its duty, and put an end to the farcical proceedings which had followed reports by the police of violations of the Sunday and midnight closing ordinances. The sudden spasm of virtue was not destined to continue. It was hinted throughout the week between that meeting and the one held yesterday that, as certain liquor men put it, "the board would get cold feet, and would hedge," and the session proved the truth of that prophecy. Yesterday the board restored the license which it had revoked; removed the suspension on the second license, and then dismissed the citation against the third saloon man without even the usual warning to sin no more, under penalty of—another farce.

Last July Chris Rottman was convicted in the Police Court of violation of the Sunday-closing ordinance, and was fined. He appealed the case, and the appeal is still pending. The District Attorney's office, so far as is known, has not exerted itself to have the case decided, and the board took the matter in its own hands last week, and ordered Rottman to appear and show cause why his license should not be suspended until the appeal is decided. He didn't come. Instead, Mr. Keifer of Keifer & Co. addressed the board. He stated that Rottman had assigned his interest in the saloon last December; that it is now owned by Keifer & Co., and by the Maier & Zobelein Brewing Company; that Rottman no longer holds an interest in the place, although the license had not been transferred. Then he pleaded that if the board suspended the license the injury would be done to persons who had not been responsible for Rottman's violation of the law. He therefore asked the board to take no action. On this showing the board dismissed the citation, and even if on final decision of the appealed case Rottman is found guilty, the mandatory provision of the law which requires the board to revoke licenses of convicted saloon-keepers will not be made to apply to his license, because while the appeal is pending he sold out his saloon. This gives ample opportunity for saloon-keepers to evade that provision of the law, if they can secure the assistance of the board, and they do not consider that a difficult proviso.

James Mackel's license at First and Vine streets was revoked last week because the barkeeper at that saloon had been convicted of violation of the Sunday-closing law, and fined $100. Yesterday John Hauerwass appeared, and, taking the action in the Rottman case for a text, demanded of the board that it should not make fish of one saloon man and fowl of another. He informed the board that the Mackel case has been appealed, and that it is the intention of the brewing company he represents to test the legality of the law. He asked that the license be continued in force, pending the appeal. Attorney Phibbs also addressed the board, saying that in his opinion the courts would knock out the ordinance, or the amendment to it, and he declared that it was unfair to, judge a saloon man under such a law.

There was a long discussion, in which some of the members of the board, Mr. Parker particularly, expressed opinions that the law is not what is desired. The result was that on motion of Commissioner Scarborough the board restored Mackel's license, removed the suspension from the license of Peter Bisen, who had also been convicted, and agreed to suspend action on the cases for thirty days, it being stated by the attorneys that they would secure a decision of the cases within that time. This action means that for at least thirty days there will be no revocations or suspensions of licenses, and within thirty days the time for the opening of the campaign will be near at hand.

There is on the records of the Board of Police Commissioners a resolution which provides that no saloon license shall be transferred while charges of any character are pending against the owner of the saloon, or while the board is considering anything which may result in the revocation of the license. In spite of this, J. Max Winkenbrink of the Los Angeles Brewing Company filed an application for the transfer to himself of the license of J. H. Thress at No. 245 East First street, the saloon license which was suspended only a week ago, and restored yesterday. The board refused to grant the application, but deferred action pending a decision of the Bissen case.

APPLICATION DENIED.

NO SALOON NEAR A SCHOOL.

Following the precedent fixed repeatedly by former boards, the Board of Police Commissioners, by unanimous vote, refused yesterday to grant a license for a saloon at the corner of Macy and Alameda streets. The reason for the action was the same yesterday as it had been on the four previous occasions when the former unsuccessful efforts were made to establish a saloon at that corner, viz.: the proximity of the place to the Macy-street school, and the desire to remove from that school as much as possible the undesirable accompaniments of nearly all saloons in the immediate vicinity. The victory of those who have long opposed this license was not won without a spirited contest, in which there was an effort to make political influence a factor.

The applicant this time was again Eugene Legre, who had previously tried to secure a license there and failed. He asked permission to move his saloon from North Main street to Macy and Alameda streets, because he owns the building at that corner, and by moving he would not only secure a better location for a saloon, but would also save rent. His application had never been regularly filed with the board, but had been taken to the Chief of Police by an attorney, and without having had official instructions from the board, the Chief had investigated the matter, and submitted a report, in which no reason was advanced why the application should not be granted. When this report was made last week members of the Board of Education appeared and protested against the granting of the license, and action was deferred until yesterday.

There was a large crowd present. The outer office of the Mayor and the hallway near the door were filled. Many of the spectators had come because of their interest in other cases, but more than a score were interested in the Legre application. President Davis and Director Washburn represented the Board of Education; Ferd K. Rule, M. J. Newmark and Francis J. Thomas, Esq., appeared for the board of library trustees, J. H. Keifer of the Troy laundry Company appeared in the interests of that corporation, and a number of the owners of property in the vicinity of the proposed saloon were present. Attorney Marble, who appeared for the applicant, Legre, asked that action on the matter be deferred for a week, but this was refused. Commissioner Scarborough moved that the application for a transfer of license be denied, and the attorneys and others were given an opportunity to speak to this motion. Mr. Marble contended that the proposed saloon could not affect the school in the least, intimated that there were other reasons for the opposition to the granting of the transfer; hinted at mandamus proceedings, and made a strong appeal for his client. President Davis of the Board of Education told the Police Commissioners of the former efforts to prevent the opening of a saloon on that corner, and appealed to them to protect the school, its scholars and teachers from such a place. Mr. Thomas, for the library board, told the board of the trouble that had been caused at the branch library at the school building when it was first opened, and then spoke of the good that the library is doing. He made an earnest appeal to the board to deny the application. Mr. Keifer and others spoke against the application, and then Mr. Marble spoke again for his client, still hinting at resort to the courts in event the application were refused. The board unanimously refused to grant the application.

POLICE BUSINESS.

REPORT FOR MARCH.

The monthly report of the police department for March was filed with the Board of Police Commissioners yesterday by the Chief. It shows that during that month arrests were made as follows:

Adultery, 1; begging, 9; violating the bicycle ordinance, 18; burglary, 4; bribery, 1; battery, 27; violating curfew ordinance, 26; carrying concealed weapons, 2; cruelty to animals, 1; drunk, 175; deserter, 1; disturbing the peace, 34; escapes, 4; felony embezzlement, 2; misdemeanor embezzlement 1; fast driving, 2; violating health ordinance, 8; violating hitching ordinance, 1; grand larceny, 3; petit larceny, 19; violating license law, 1; keeping lottery joint, 6; selling lottery tickets, 6; misdemeanor, 16; perjury, 1; robbery, 4; violating sidewalk ordinance, 1; vagrancy, 10; violating Sunday-closing ordinance, 3; incorrigible, 1; total, 388; dismissed, 63; convicted, 239; held to answer, 10; pending, 26.

The value of property recovered by the detective force during the month was $2210. The patrol wagons responded to 349 calls, traveled 230 miles, took 286 prisoners to the Police Station, and 33 wounded people to hospitals.

In the report of the sergeants it is shown that 3 fire alarms were given by policemen; 19 doors were found open and secured, 355 defective lights reported, and 24 nuisances abated. The total fines and forfeitures collected amounted to $1012.

WAS NOT BLAMELESS.

CLAIM FOR DAMAGES REFUSED.

The Board of Police Commissioners spent nearly two hours yesterday in the effort to ascertain whether Officer S. B. Stites, driver of one of the patrol wagons, was to blame for the accident which happened near Second and Broadway on February 24, in which E. C. Schnabel was run over and considerably bruised, or whether Schnabel was himself to blame for being in the way of the wagon. The conclusion the board reached was that Schnabel, while he may not have been wholly to blame for the accident, was not wholly blameless, and that he had been guilty of contributory negligence, at least. The board turned down his application for $250 damages and sent the matter back to the City Council, with the recommendation that the claim be denied.

The investigation of this matter attracted to the board meeting a large number of persons. For Schnabel, or at his request, testimony was given by J. M. Miller, B. L. Bouriand, Mr. Handy, C. A. Tait, P. B. McCabe and H. K. Avery. On the other side, at the request of Officer Stites, J. J. Black, Fred Haben, Officer J. T. Conley and Dr. Ralph Hagen told what they knew of the accident. It was shown that the wagon was returning to the Receiving Hospital with a woman who had been seriously injured and who needed immediate attention; that just north of the corner of Second street, on Broadway, the horses struck Schnabel, who was riding a wheel, and he fell under the wheels, which passed over his shins. He was not seriously injured. Attorney Rush represented the claimant, and the City Attorney was on hand, it being considered certain that a suit for damages will be brought against the city. One admission made by Schnabel seemed to ruin his entire case. It was that in crossing the street diagonally on his wheel he had not looked either up or down and therefore did not know what was approaching him. There were many other particulars, but the board took cognizance of this remark and made the recommendation stated.

STAR IN DANGER.

CHARGES AGAINST FOWLER.

Chief of Police Elton notified the Board of Police Commissioners yesterday that he had suspended Patrolman F. M. Fowler from duty on charges of violating Article 16 of Rule 1 of the rules and regulations of the Police Department, which provides that any officer who receives "money other than salary, or other valuables, for service while an officer" shall be subject to "reprimand, suspension from duty, deduction of pay or dismissal from the force." In the official notification to the board, the Chief did not state any of the particulars of the charge or charges against Fowler, because under the rules of the department such charges are not made public until the board has had an opportunity to inquire into them. Attorney Brown, representing Fowler, requested a copy of the charges against the officer, but as the board has not as yet taken action on the matter, he could not obtain it. The board considered the charges in a brief executive session and then announced that no action would be taken until the next regular meeting.

Has No Jurisdiction.

A. M. Castle appeared before the Board of Police Commissioners yesterday and presented a claim for damages alleged to have been sustained by reason of a collision between his wagon and a patrol wagon on First street, between Main and Los Angeles, on the evening of the 5th inst. The patrol wagon was in charge of Officer Johnson at the time, and he presented a report in which it was stated that Castle's horse backed the wagon to which it was attached into the side of the passing patrol wagon, and becoming frightened at the collision, ran away and demolished a popcorn stand and a tamale wagon. Castle, on the other hand, declared that he could prove that a man was holding his horse; that it did not back into the patrol wagon, and that the accident was due wholly to the careless driving of the officer in charge. The board decided that it has no jurisdiction in the case. Castle will probably sue the city for damages.

Cases Continued.

Owing to the mass of business on hand yesterday, the Board of Police Commissioners continued several important matters. Among them are the cases against E. Castellano for violation of the saloon ordinances; against Patrolman S. M. Baker, whom the board has notified of its intention to dismiss; the investigation into the charges made against A. Perpich, whose star as a special policeman was taken from him some time ago, and the investigation of the report of officers as to violations of law at A. H. Brockamp's saloon at No. 106 North Main street.

License not Granted.

O. F. Kruse appeared before the Board of Police Commissioners yesterday afternoon and endeavored to secure a restaurant liquor license for his place of business at No. 303 North Main street. The matter had been referred to the Chief, and he made a written report, showing that Kruse had been arrested on a charge of selling liquor without a license, and that the case had not been disposed of. Kruse explained this by saying that one of his employés had sold the liquor during his absence. He did not see why the mere fact of the arrest should prevent the board from granting him what he wanted, when he only asked a license, but the board took another view of the matter, and decided to defer action until the case in court is disposed of.

Ordered to Settle.

Peter Mitchell, a restaurant-keeper, filed a claim for $39 against James L. Todd and James D. Todd, father and son and both private policemen, before the Board of Police Commissioners yesterday, and attached to the claim was a bill rendered by the Todds, showing that they owed the money. The board directed that the Todds be notified to pay the bill within thirty days, the alternative being their dismissal as police officers.

Health Office Finances.

The third quarterly report of the health department, showing in detail what the expenses of that department have been during the past nine months of the fiscal year, was filed yesterday. For salaries $10,680 was allowed, and a balance of $2876 remains unused. For keeping horses for the inspectors $60 remains out of an allowance of $240. In the stationery and general expense account an allowance of $450 was made at the first of the year, and there is now a deficit in that account of $899.82. For drugs and chemicals the allowance was $900, of which $221.43 remains unused.

Want to Be Released.

A petition to the City Council has been filed in the office of the City Clerk by French & Reed, to whom the contract for the improvement of a portion of Mott street was recently awarded. The petitioners aver that the improvement has been made the basis of a lawsuit which may result in rendering invalid such bonds as may be issued for the work. They ask that the proceedings be abandoned and that they be permitted to withdraw from the contract without prejudice in event of their desiring to bid upon the contract if new bids are called for.

COLLINS'S STOLEN COIN.

SOTNIEFF FORMALLY CHARGED WITH GRAND LARCENY.

As the result of Dan Collins's complaint that he was robbed of $100 in the Receiving Hospital during Tuesday night of last week, E. Sotnieff, the young Russian, who was a City Jail trusty at the time, was arraigned before Justice Austin yesterday on the charge of grand larceny. The complaint, which is sworn to by Jailer J. B. Robbins, charges Sotnieff with the theft of the five $20 gold pieces which Collins alleges he had strapped around him in a buckskin belt, next to his undershirt. Sixty dollars of the amount alleged to have been stolen is accounted for by the money with which Sotnieff bought his freedom a few days later, but the remaining $40 has not been found, as Sotnieff still denies his guilt and refuses to confess that he has any knowledge of what became of the money. The young man's preliminary examination has been set for Thursday afternoon.

[AT THE COURTHOUSE.]

LOST HER INHERITANCE.

WIFE ACCUSES HER HUSBAND OF USURPING HER FORTUNE.

Mrs. Lola A. Pratt Sues Her Husband and Others for an Accounting of Property Received from Her Mother's Estate—Says She Was Intimidated into Making a Mortgage.

Lola A. Pratt appeared in Judge Allen's court yesterday to sue Charles Pratt, her husband; Charles F. Pratt, her father-in-law; Herbert S. Pratt, her son, and the National Bank of California, for an accounting. Mrs. Pratt believes that she has been victimized by the defendants—or some of them—who are charged with getting away with her considerable inheritance from her mother's estate.

Mr. and Mrs. Pratt were married in Detroit, Mich., on December 29, 1874, and as a result of the marriage have three children living: Herbert, of age, and two minors, Florence and Anna.

While the family was still living in Detroit, Mrs. Pratt's mother, Ana L. Clarke, died in May, 1882, leaving her property, valued at almost $25,000, to her daughter as sole heir. When the estate was distributed in September, 1884, Mrs. Pratt was given real property, moneys, notes and mortgages aggregating $20,000, which, with her consent, was received by her husband—in trust for her, it is alleged, and not otherwise.

Since that time, the husband is alleged by her to have retained all the property from his wife, investing and using the same at his own pleasure and in no manner accounting to her for the same, with the exception of $6000, said to have been invested in five lots in the Miltimore tract in this city, title to which is vested in Mrs. Pratt.

From the Miltimore-tract property the husband is also said to have collected rents during the years from 1890 to 1895 that aggregated $1200; and when they were married Mrs. Pratt's mother gave them furniture which was sold in 1887 for about $500 and the money, it is alleged, kept by Pratt.

In 1890 Pratt bought a lot out on Jefferson street and put up a large residence on it at a cost of about $4000. It is now alleged that the house was built out of the wife's money. The husband, it is averred, had the lot conveyed to his father, without consideration, who afterward in 1895, conveyed the title to the property to Herbert S. Pratt, then a minor, in whose name the property has stood ever since, although Mrs. Pratt says she never knew it until about a year ago. During the time from 1890 to 1895, both Pratt and his father are said to have received occupancy and rents aggregating about $1000.

About the middle of March, 1890, it is alleged by the plaintiff, that, under threats of conviction and of depriving her of her children, Pratt coerced his wife to mortgage their Jefferson-street property to his father for $2000, which he told her he had borrowed from him to be used in erecting the house they then occupied. Having faith in her husband, she finally put her name to the mortgage, under the promise from him that, if she did so, she should be given the care and custody of their daughter Florence. An agreement to live apart was also drawn up and signed, but they continued to live together as husband and wife until November 1, 1895, during which time Anna was born to them.

But in November, 1895, Pratt is alleged to have deserted his wife, taking with him the children Herbert, and since that time they have lived apart.

Especial troubles, however, broke out again in May, 1897, when it is alleged that Pratt and his father visited Mrs. Pratt and informed her that her father-in-law would immediately foreclose the mortgage, sell off her property and take away her child, Anna, unless she should consent to a renewal of the note and mortgage for a period of two years; and as a means of renewal they suggested a deed of escrow to be deposited with the National Bank of California, with directions to deliver the deed to Charles F. Pratt at the expiration of two years, in the event of a failure to pay the note and interest. Mrs. Pratt hesitated, when the other parties are said to have declared that unless she went to their attorney's office, where with many assurances she was induced and compelled to sign the deed.

Mrs. Pratt now asserts that all her husband's representations about owing the father money, etc., were untrue, and that she is the victim of a conspiracy to rid her of her property.

She asks not only for an accounting, but also for the cancellation of the escrow deed as fraudulent; a judgment against her husband for any balance due her; and order compelling Herbert to convey to her the Jefferson-street property and restraining him from disposing of it in any other way, and an injunction restraining the father-in-law from laying his hands on the escrow deed in the National Bank of California.

Defendants answer all these allegations with a general denial and put in a cross-complaint asking judgment against plaintiff for about $2400.

NEW TRIAL WANTED.

WILLIAMS NOT YET SENTENCED.

Z. Williams, who was convicted on Saturday at his third jury trial on indictment of criminal assault upon the person of Norma Tomlinson in his quiet little cottage home at Pasadena, was not sentenced yesterday as anticipated.

When the case was called in the criminal court yesterday morning, J. W. McKinley, Esq., appeared to ask for a continuance in order to afford ample time to prepare a motion for a new trial. It is evident that preparations are being made to take the matter to the Supreme Court, in case Judge Smith's ruling on a new trial is adverse. The motion is to be prepared after a careful study and review of the transcript. The court granted a week's continuance.

The three informations against Williams for similar offenses alleged to have been committed on the same little girl will be disposed of after the motion for a new trial has been ruled upon.

LOTTERY ORDINANCE.

COURT THINKS IT INVALID.

Judge Smith is inclined to think that the city ordinance, known as the lottery ordinance, is invalid. This is the hint thrown out yesterday morning while discussing from the bench the habeas corpus proceedings heard several days ago in behalf of R. A. Adamson, a colored man so black that he is colorless, who was gathered in by the police in one of their raids on a Chinese lottery joint.

"The ordinance," said the court, "makes it unlawful for any one to be present where lottery tickets are sold. Now a man may be unwittingly present with or without invitation to buy lottery tickets, and yet violate this ordinance and be punished for nothing at all. I take it that these tickets are often—or usually, perhaps—sold in places where legitimate business is carried on, so that persons might actually be present where lottery tickets were sold and yet be there on a perfectly legitimate mission. Had the ordinance incorporated the idea of "attempt to buy lottery tickets," or something of that sort, it might have been all well enough. But the mere being present goes a little too far."

Deputy District Attorney Chambers submitted some authorities to the contrary, and Judge Smith will probably render an opinion this morning.

IRRESISTIBLE IMPULSE.

BOY'S EXCUSE FOR CRIME.

George Wilson, a long, lean, lank youth, who is charged with burglary, was arraigned in Judge Smith's court yesterday morning to plead, and his attorney, F. H. Thompson, Esq., announced that the boy was crazy.

Thompson refused to state the grounds for the belief, but, so thoroughly convinced is he, that the court ordered Wilson tried on Thursday morning before a jury as to his sanity. Meantime the law pleads for the prisoner and he is presumed to be not guilty, although yesterday Wilson persisted in pleading his innocence to the information filed against him. He is charged with burglarizing a house in Monrovia about 3 o'clock one morning last month, and holding up its master, named Monroe, at the blazing point of a tiny revolver. A watch and some money were stolen. Wilson was identified in the County Jail, while serving sentence for vagrancy. He was arrested by Constable Slanker of Pomona, and in his possession was found a lot of watches and jewelry and afterward identified as stolen property. Among his display were the missing valuables from the Monroe residence.

Wilson claims that he has an irresistible impulse to commit crime and is a helpless victim. He is said to confess with unwitting frankness to innumerable crimes—which may be only insane fancies. His trial will proceed as soon as a jury has returned a verdict as to the status of his mind. He has been in Southern California about a year and a half and is known about Azusa and Pomona.

MARCEAU MATTERS.

MAMMA'S VISITS TO "THEO."

An order was filed in Judge York's court yesterday forenoon, in the Marceau habeas corpus proceedings, fixing time and conditions, when Amanda J. Marceau may visit her little son "Theo," during the next two weeks, pending the fight over the boy that has been transferred so recently from this county to San Francisco.

After an order formally dismissing the habeas curpus writ here, it is ordered that Mrs. Marceau shall be permitted to see "Theo" at the Westminster Hotel from 3 to 4 o'clock in the afternoon of any day that she shall choose to give notice of her intended visit, on the same day, at the office of R. H. F. Variel, Esq., one of Col. Marceau's attorneys, any time during the forenoon. The rooms at the Westminster Hotel, the number—are to be provided at the colonel's expense. Col. Marceau is tabooed from being present when mother visits her son, but may provide some female attendant not offensive to Mrs. Marceau.

SUPREME COURT.

SUCCESSFUL YOUNG ASPIRANTS.

The following aspirants for admission to the bar yesterday passed the examination put by the Justice of the Supreme Court. The candidates were twenty in number, two of whom were unsuccessful: Emmett H. Wilson, Arthur Moran, Frank Klein, John L. Fleming, Walter Graham Van Pelt, Charles E. Haas, James W. Creede, Robert M. Clarke, J. Irving McKenna, John Corbin, Alfred W. Allen, Homer C. Millsap, Paul J. McCormick, E. S. Williams, Roscoe P. Congdon, Andrew Edward Nelson, Charles Warren Hollister, John Murphy.

L. O. Miles, Esq., was admitted to practice in all the courts of California, upon motion of Z. Montgomery, Esq., and presentation of a license from the Supreme Court of Kentucky.

PTOMY DISCHARGED.

PROVES A GOOD ALIBI.

Z. Ptomy, the Southern Pacific fireman, who for two weeks past has been under preliminary examination in the Township Court on a charge of rape, alleged to have been committed on the person of Louise Linde, was discharged by Justice James yesterday, and his bondsmen were exonerated.

The complaining witness was Ptomy's mother-in-law, who fixed the date of the alleged assault as on some night during last December subsequent to the 12th, when it was charged that Ptomy assaulted and ravished his 13-year-old sister-in-law. The little girl Louise testified that, upon a night when Ptomy and his wife came to this city from their home in Fernando to attend the theater, he and his wife and an elder sister started off together; that soon afterward Ptomy returned to the house alone and stated that his wife wanted Louise to go to the theater too, and that he would take her. The mother allowed the child to go, and it is then claimed that instead of taking her to the theater, he took the child to isolated places and committed the crime of which he has just been acquitted.

Ptomy's defense was an alibi. "Beginning with December 12 to the close of the month, he showed clearly," says Justice James, "by the records of the Southern Pacific Company that he was employed every day in the capacity of fireman between Fernando and Bakersfield, and at such times as would make it impossible that he should have spent a night in this city during that time. It may be that the witnesses have mistaken the time when the defendant and his wife attended the theater here, but it is not for the court to speculate upon such a possibility, as they have definitely fixed the time as being after December 12, 1899. Defendant having proved that he was not here, at or during the time as testified to, his discharge must follow."

COURTHOUSE NOTES.

BREVITIES MISCELLANEOUS.

PETER GRANT'S ROBBERS. Kernell and O'Brien, the two young men identified by Rev. Peter Grant of Oganard as the robbers who held him up one night early last month, and got off with his valuables, were before Judge Smith yesterday morning to plead not guilty to robbery, and their trial was set down for May 16. They will probably be tried together. F. F. Davis, Esq., their attorney, has announced to the court that the case against the boys—who dress well and are good looking—is very flimsy.

MARKET ORDINANCE. Judge Smith yesterday affirmed the conviction of Hock Sing, a Chinaman, for a violation of the city market ordinance last January. Sing was arrested for selling his vegetables at wholesale on one of the public streets of this city before 8 o'clock [illegible] which is in violation [illegible]

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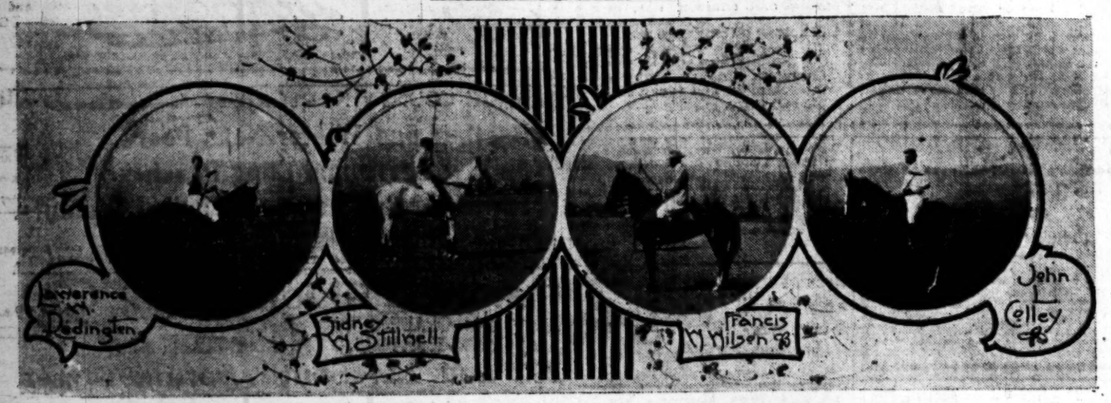

The Santa Barbara County Polo Club will send a team of four men to Riverside to play a match game of polo there on Saturday. The team to go will be made up of Messrs. Redington, No. 1; Stilwell, No. 2; Colby, No. 3, and Pierre Lorrillord, No. 4. These players expect to play against Messrs. Wright, Betner, C. E. Maud and Warin of the southern team. The Santa Barbara Club is now almost two years old. Last season a team was sent to Burlingame and so far this season there have been free public games at Santa Barbara twice a week, and the team has had good practice. The above players will go to Riverside in a special car today and take sixteen ponies with them. The match will be closely watched by Southern California polo enthusiasts, and particularly those at Santa Barbara, as it will show what may be expected from the team in the sporting tournament soon to be held at that place.

HEART DISEASE

Some Facts Regarding the Increase of Heart Trouble.

Heart trouble, at least among Americans, is certainly increasing, and may be largely due to the excess worry of American business life, often the result of weak stomach digestion.

Real organic disease is incurable in one case in a hundred of heart organic.

The close relation between heart and poor digestion is because they are controlled by the same nerve, the Sympathetic and the Pneumogastric.

In another way, also, the heart is affected by the form of poor digestion called gas and fermentation from undigested food. There is a feeling of oppression, heaviness in the chest caused by pressure of the distended stomach on the heart and lungs, interfering with their action, and arises palpitation and short breath.

Poor digestion also poisons the blood, making it thin and watery, which starves and weakens the heart.

The most sensible treatment for heart trouble is to improve the digestion and insure the prompt assimilation of food.

This can be done by the regular use after meals of some safe, pleasant and effective digestive preparation like Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, which may be found at most drug stores, and which contain valuable, harmless digestive elements in a pleasant, concentrated form.

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CONCLAVE OF CROOKS.

ORED INFLUX OF THE LIGHT-FINGERED GENTRY.

ves from the East They are d to Be Headed for the Pacific ast—Former Immunity from Mo-estation Makes Householders Care-ss and Invites Visits from Thieves.

As the tide of tourist travel sets eastward, report comes from that ion that a hegira of thieves and ers from generally has begun from the ities of the Eastern and Middle es and they are headed for the Pa-Coast. The vigilance of the law ers of the East is said to have be-so strict that expert cracksmen thieves who attempt only big jobs make a living at their profes-Consequently, it is said they are in large numbers upon the and householders and others are d to be on the lookout for them. of them who are affluent, who not stoop even to housebreaking, whose respectable appearance be-their calling, travel in first-class put up at the best hotels and ate only with persons of wealth give promise of being easy to Various schemes are adopted to the opulent acquaintance and his , and bogus mining and oil stocks other fictitious securities, fortified, urse, by ingeniously contrived and ally authenticated stories, prove lure to the sharper who plays for takes. Clever forgers and bunco s frequently are among those

other line pursued by the elite of dishonest fraternity is to secure ers at a first-class hotel and with various means to get ac-nted with the interior arrange-e of banks and large mercantile utions. This is done sometimes representation by the crook that a manufacturer, or that he is en-in banking or in the line in his intended victim is occupied. ntials prepared for the occasion esented, and as the stories told well supported it usually is not ult for the stranger soon to be-a specious visitor at the place he later may rob.

nte into the best residences fre-y is obtained in like manner. the work of the crook is easy orth. Plans of the business and residences are made; the s of valuable property are ; the habits of the business men their employés are noted, as are habits of servants and household-at the selected residences. The po-and other patrol systems are ed and in the course of a few s plans are made by the crook for robbing raid.

soon as his carefully-made dia-and precise directions are com-ed, the director-general of the ing expedition calls to his aid a ber of his craftsmen who have joined him in other cities, and who ve been lying under cover awaiting pleasure. Among these men are ert cracksmen, to whom are given t task and business-house jobs, while others skilled in housebreaking d other predaceous projects are as-ned to congenial details. The work supposed to be done all in one night, in a series of quick, systematic s that render detection almost ossible, and this way a good-sized may be "cleaned up" so thoroughly t before any time that before the police e a clew to the criminals they are out of the way.

another class of thieves are the who are on the lookout for fur-ished residences vacated temporarily milies who go to summer or win-sorts for a few days, or for a of weeks, leaving the contents r houses unprotected save by and key. One mistake which holders make in going away, and ch was mentioned by a thief who , is in closing the outer blinds and ng down the window shades—an infallible tip to the house-er that no one is at home. Watch-his opportunity the thief enters house, takes an inventory of its nts, and if the furnishings and able property are of sufficient value ans to make a "clean-up." Cloth-china, bric-a-brac, and, in some ses, pianos, valuable rugs and ings and pieces of furniture are e, but this kind of work usually nfined to large cities, where the erty can be disposed of to second-and other stores with little fear etection.

re is a class of hold-up men and erate criminals who travel in less ntious style than do their higher ing brothers, and who are willing attempt any kind of a job that ises fair returns. These men are particular as to their mode of ner manner of life, and often e a city by way of the box car or l-baggage route. This sort of has its drawbacks, and is the quick nor comfortable, but it ns. The thieves who travel in manner usually consort with the nselves, but generally harmless, who infest river bottoms and the districts of all large towns.

cheap groggeries, such as nd in the vicinity of First and Angeles streets and on Main street, Los Angeles, are frequented by the ing men and "porch climbers," or thieves, and it is at these places the police find many suspects the commission of a crime. A ner guard at the County Jail vis-a number of saloons in the tender-district a few days ago, and recog-d a score of men who had been the road, serving time in county and State penitentiaries for committed in the past, and who are on the lookout for "easy

"Hill district" is another spot the professional thief, who makes the acquaintance of the half world who is willing to support him with her dearly-earned until he can make a in this way the thief ts temporarily in the social the most fashionable position—of the despised macquereau. thieves are known, too, to drive veg-wagons and to make a pretense ollecting junk and other material, familiarizing themselves with premises with an eye ever open possibilities. Many a clothesline is levied upon by clothesline is levied upon by and garden and other have a value at second-hand which is not scorned by the ng gentry.

garding the reported influx of an old-time jailer and present officer who is familiar with the of the fraternity, says that ing field exists in Los Angeles surrounding cities, caused by the of householders in secur-their doors and windows. Investi-of the few burglaries that have red, his knowledge obtained in ways lead him to say that more 75 per cent. of the dwellings in Angeles city and county can be with the aid of an ordinary lock. Unless more care is taken by the thieves; if they come, will an easy and a profitable time. ways, pawnbrokers and other ers concerns are likewise careless their property, and in one flour-suburban city temptation is constantly before the dishonest railroad companies, who leave ds of valuable merchandise upon their sidetracks without seal, lock or guard. A few evenings ago a carload of flour was found open, and not long before a cargo of groceries, tobacco and cigars, invited visits from tramps who were sleeping in a neighboring hay car, oblivious of the rich haul so near at hand.

FAILED TO PROVIDE.

F. ROUCE GUILTY OF NEGLECTING HIS FAMILY.

Flosco Rouce, a colored bootblack, was found guilty, in Justice Morgan's court yesterday, on the charge of failure to provide for his two children, and ordered to appear for sentence today.

The testimony showed that Rouce was the acknowledged husband of the mother of the children, Miss Lizzie Simms, for several years, during which time he lived with her under her parents' roof in "Happy Valley," a classic suburb of East Los Angeles. Lizzie's children were born there, one in 1896, the other in 1897, and Rouce, whom they strongly resemble, was their acknowledged father, although he never contributed anything worth mentioning toward their support.

In 1898, Lizzie and the children accompanied Rouce to Santa Barbara, where he neglected them so that she concluded to take the pickaninnies and return with them to the home of her parents in "Happy Valley." Lizzie's ultimatum to Rouce was "If you ain't got no money you needn't come 'round," and he didn't.

But Lizzie tired of supporting her children herself. Learning that Rouce had returned to Los Angeles and was making as much as $7 a week shining shoes, she put her little boy aboard an electric car one day last week and sent him to the bootblack stand at Third and Spring streets, where Rouce was employed. Rouce would have nothing to do with the child, and turned him adrift on the street. A policeman found the little fellow and sent him to the station to be cared for. On the following day the mother recovered the child and then commenced proceedings against Rouce to compel him to support his offspring.

Justice Morgan decided that it was Rouce's duty to provide for his family, and will pronounce sentence on him this morning for failure to do so. The couple were never legally married, but the Simms girl testified that they had a written marriage contract which Rouce destroyed while they were living at Santa Barbara.

FLOOD'S EXAMINATION.

EVIDENCE FOR THE PEOPLE NOT YET COMPLETE.

The preliminary examination of R. J. Flood, on the charge of grand larceny, which was commenced in Justice Austin's court Monday, and continued yesterday, went over till Saturday afternoon for further hearing. The entire time thus far has been taken up with the hearing of evidence for the people, and they have not yet completed their case.

Mrs. McGraw, the aged lady who is alleged to have been robbed of $289 by the defendant, has not yet been able to appear in court to testify in regard to the identification of her property. The alleged robbery took place while she was unconscious from a fall at Third street and Broadway, when Flood assisted in carrying her into a drug store and in lifting her into the patrol wagon which conveyed her to the Receiving Hospital. The money was in a hand bag which Flood handled, and he subsequently confessed, in the presence of a number of police officers, that he stole the bag and contents. The police recovered all but about $100 of the stolen money.

Mrs. McGraw has been confined to her home ever since the accident and robbery. The continuance was taken yesterday so that her deposition might be taken. With the exception of her testimony the prosecution has a complete case.

Although Flood has acknowledged his guilt, John T. Jones, Esq., has been retained to defend him, and the lawyer is looking for a loophole through which his client may escape.

POLICE BICYCLE CORPS.

NABS RECKLESS RIDERS AND GIVES GOOD SERVICE.

The bicycle police squad is making special efforts to enforce the ordinance against riding of bicycles on public sidewalks. More than a dozen lawbreakers of this kind have been rounded up within the last few days and fined $1 each by Police Justice Austin. Among those who have been mulcted are Clarence Carr, J. O. Smith, J. G. Gano, Charles Pesley, T. J. Howard, Frank Fisher, E. Besenger, Lee Gerke, Ed Childress, Nick Brand, A. Schilling and O. A. Mannon. Most of these were young boys captured on New Main street by Officers Sawyer, Sparks and McGraw. One of the culprits, Arthur Preisler, aged 9, was so young that the court refused to punish him. Officer Stomans of East Los Angeles is also paying some attention to careless cyclists, two of the twelve fines collected this week being due to his vigilance.

The bicycle police, being dressed in corduroy suits instead of the regulation blue uniforms with brass buttons, are able to surprise lawbreaking wheelmen and other offenders, as their official capacity is not generally known before they swoop down upon a victim to make an arrest. Since the organization of a regular bicycle corps, the residence districts of the city are better patrolled than ever before.

Weekly Crop Bulletin.

The weekly crop bulletin of the Weather Bureau, United States Department of Agriculture, for Southern California, says that the week was cool and cloudy, with fog in localities and showers of rain, which were unevenly distributed, being light or mere sprinkles in places and heavy in others, turning to snow in the mountains. The week closed with high northerly to westerly winds and much cooler weather, frost occurring in places, and one report states that apricots were frozen Sunday night. A great deal of good resulted from the rain, where sufficiently heavy, to grain fields that were saved from the drought, but generally it came too late to save the grain and hay crops. The high winds had an injurious effect upon young beets and grain fields besides drying the ground. Young fruit and almonds are reported to be dropping badly; oranges are setting well.

"Father of Alhambra" Dead.

George B. Adams, sometimes called the "Father of Alhambra," because he was one of the earliest settlers and practically the founder of that town, died at the family residence there yesterday at 3 o'clock p.m. He was well known in this city and throughout the county, and leaves many friends among the older residents. Deceased had attained to more than man's allotted three-score years and ten. A widow, son and daughter survive him. The funeral announcement appears in another column.

University Notes.

Secretary Francis M. Larkin of the board of trustees writes: "There is no lack of harmony in the university faculty. Two members of the faculty have handed in their resignations, to take effect at the close of the present year, and the trustees have selected persons to fill the places made vacant."

THE BABY.

A Burden or a Blessing.

When the baby comes into the house it comes as a burden or a blessing. If it is weak and sickly it becomes a burden for the mother by day and night. If it is a strong baby, bright and healthy it becomes a mutual joy to its parents and binds them closer together in affection.

There is no question as to the desirability of a healthy baby, whose winning ways and merry prattle bring a new element of joy into the home life. Every woman desires to have healthy, happy children. The reason that so many women fail to realize this desire is because they do not understand the intimate relation between their own health and that of the child which is born to them. To paraphrase a line of a familiar poem, it might be said to mothers:

"Laugh, and the child laughs with you."

The childish moanings and cryings are only echoes of the mother's feelings during that anxious time of waiting, when, weak and suffering she shrinks from the coming hour of her trial. Motherhood rarely finds a woman ready for the great change which the function entails. At this time she should be at her best. Every force of nature should rally to her support. She should be strong in body, cheerful in mind. There should be

THE BABY A BLESSING.

THE BABY A BURDEN.

always a smile on her lips and a song in her heart as she thinks that she is to be of those who are "blessed among women." But as a general thing motherhood finds woman at her worst instead of at her best. She is weak of body, despondent of mind and her heart is full of anxious forebodings of the future.

Under proper conditions every mother may have healthy children. These conditions have been realized by many mothers who have used Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.

"A BIG, STRONG BABY."

"I am so thankful for what Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription has done for me," writes Mrs. John T. Smith, of Slocan, B. C., Box 50. "It helped me through the trying months preceding the birth of my baby. I have a big, strong baby girl, the most healthy of all my three, and the 'Prescription' cured me of a disease which was taking away all my strength."

It is often said jestingly, that the important part of woman's letter is contained in a postscript. It is certainly true of Mrs. Smith's letter that the last sentence is the most important from a medical point of view. "It cured me of a disease that was taking away all my strength." To help during "the trying months preceding the birth of my baby," and the "big, strong baby girl" are consequences of the cure of the strength draining disease.

There are thousands of women whose strength is being drained by disease, who never realize how great that drain is until they begin to live for two instead of one. There are thousands of weak mothers of fretful children, who will never know happiness in maternity or bring into the world healthy children until the diseases which drain the strength are stopped. They can be stopped by the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. This is a woman's medicine. It is not a cure-all, but it is designed solely to cure those diseases which are peculiar to women. In the cure of these diseases it is without a rival. It regulates the periods, dries disagreeable and weakening drains, heals inflammation and ulceration and cures female weakness. It makes childbirth practically painless and gives strength to nursing mothers.

"I wish to extend my most heartfelt thanks for the benefit your medicine has been to me," writes Mrs. Charles Leray, of Unionville, Tuscola Co., Mich. "I had what the doctors called inflammation of the ovaries; there was pus formed in the fallopian tubes. Once or twice a year I would have a spell of sickness lasting about two months; very severe pains in my sides, over the ovaries, and down the upper part of my limbs to the knees, it seemed as if the flesh would come off, and accompanied by severe vomiting and nose-bleed. I was not able to do my work. I was so sore across the abdomen if I stepped down quickly it almost killed me. Could not keep hardly anything on my stomach any of the time.

"I was examined by our home physician, also one in Toledo, Ohio, and they all said I would have to have the ovaries removed. In June, 1898, I went from Toledo to Battle Creek, to the Advent Sanitarium, and was examined by Doctors Kellogg and Winegar, and they advised an operation. I took treatment there for ten weeks; local and bath-room treatment, such as electric baths, hot fomentations, etc. I improved some and returned home the first day of September, and commenced doing my house work. I began to get worse again. I then got one bottle each, of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, and 'Golden Medical Discovery.' When I commenced taking them I weighed 106 pounds, before I had taken one bottle of each I improved so much that it encouraged me. I kept right on. I have taken eight bottles of 'Favorite Prescription' and two of the 'Golden Medical Discovery,' and haven't had any pain since March. I feel perfectly well. Have not the least pain in my sides and no trouble with my stomach whatever. I now weigh 125 pounds. I have had better health the past winter and spring than ever before in my life of 22 years. This trouble had bothered me some for eight years, but got worse in the last four years. Before I began these medicines I wrote to Dr. Pierce and received a prompt reply, advising me to try his medicines. I earnestly thank God that I took his advice, and I highly recommend Dr. Pierce's medicines to all suffering women."

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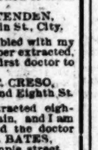

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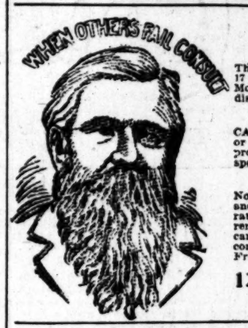

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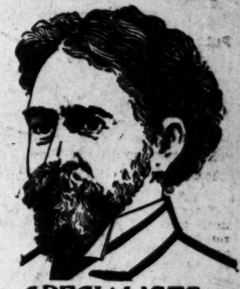

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Sliding down the cellar door is no excitement at all, compared with the rough-riding of a tumble over the declivity of the saucer track at a Bryan meeting.

The Velodrome is an immense skatitorium, but never built to hear in and enormously unsatisfactory as a political resort. The first and principal trouble with it is a lack of entrances. Getting the crowd into it is like trying to pour molasses through the little end of the funnel.

Two narrow doors, up two narrow flights of stairs, along two narrow passages—and then a big broad scramble! That is what the ten thousand people had to go through, in order to hear the orator of the Platte, or rather to hear at him.

For two hours the mob trickled in through these distressing little entrances, and almost immediately it began to trickle out. The Velodrome was a combined sweat box and noise factory. It was so close and hot that women fainted, and the confusion was so great that unless in a favorable location, the speech of Bryan was a mere pantomime.

The doors were opened at half past six o'clock and hundreds of people were waiting then. They besieged the narrow stairs at the two entrances, immediately choked them, and they remained choked till half past eight. One had to fight his way up those steps and into the building with a belligerent opposition punching him, pulling him, squatting him, treading on him and very likely swearing at him. It was two hours of stampede. Herds of cattle could not have made more desperate efforts to trample on each other without hurting one another—for the mob was mostly good natured.

Hundreds of women went through the ordeal, most of them with men protectors vainly trying to shield them from some of the insects of the tremendous pressure. A pressing, panting mob is brutal without knowing it, and the women suffered. Some of them lost their bonnets. Some of them entered the building with their hair torn down. Others endured more serious things.

Once inside, there was room in abundance, but it was hard to get. The seats in the balcony were soon filled up. Below yawned the inviting chasm of the saucer track, with but one bridge leading down to it, and that blockaded with the throng. So the grand slide down the saucer began—and today people find splinters in their hands and other parts of their anatomy.

A POOL OF BLOOD.

Some of the adepts did it all standing, like a youngster skating down an icy hill on his boot taps. More cautious people doubled up like a jackknife, and, half sliding, half rolling, accomplished the descent. Rotund and weighty gentlemen sat squarely down and performed the feat at less risk to limb, but more to trousers. Gymnastic young fellows landed right side up with care, but ladies and gentlemen less fitted for the expedition had to be picked up and repaired after the fifteen feet of tumble. Oh, yes! ladies essayed it in more than one instance, amid the frantic applause of the crowd.

It was not altogether entertaining, however, to the people in the pit. When a big fellow came sprawling upon a man seated near the edge of the chasm, sticking a hand into his eye and attempting to insert a toe between his ribs, the fellow on the ground floor sometimes resented it. The writer saw the male companion of a lady hit right out from the shoulder at a clumsy acrobat, who had plunged ruthlessly down the abyss and almost knocked the woman off her chair when he touched.

This episode was not responsible for the little pool of blood just a little way from the foot of the bridge at the north entrance, however. The blood was spilled by an unfortunate who collided with a chair at the finish of his flight to the bottom of the saucer.

After an hour of this sort of thing, some inventive soul hit upon a happy scheme. The seats in the pit were planks laid upon chairs. The inventor took one of these planks, and, extending it up the side of the saucer, formed a little foot bridge on which it was easy to walk down. His example was followed, but there were not planks enough to go around.

All the time the humor of the crowd was merry. It laughed at and applauded the antics of the tumblers. When a man made a particularly spectacular exhibition of himself it burst into a cheer. It roared at the successes of brave women in achieving the slide. Several times before 8 o'clock such a great tumult of cheers and whistles arose that people thought Bryan was coming, and jumped to their seats, to discover that it was only an explosion of glee over some gymnastic mishap.

BRYAN APPEARS.

At 8:10 o'clock a man with a broad, smoothly-shaven face and a correspondingly broad and white shirt front, finished off with a white tie, accompanied by a gentleman with a familiar, gray-whiskered countenance, entered the little box decorated with American flags and flowers, and bowed to the audience.

A shrill salute went up. It seemed more like a symphony of steam whistles than a chorus of cheers. Most of the people were on their feet, but it was noticeable that comparatively few joined in the cheering. The majority was curious, not sympathetic. Col. Bryan got a cordial enough welcome, however, and duly acknowledged it.

The shouting, whistling and waving of hats lasted about a minute. All this time the entrances were packed by the incoming crowds. With adequate opportunities of ingress, the multitude would have been disposed of long before, and all would have been quiet in the vast amphitheater. As it was the meeting had to open under great difficulties. People were pushing, jostling, shouting, grumbling, kicking. It was a hubbub which no speaker could entirely surmount. Ex-Senator White's clarion voice was heard by all except those immediately around the entrances, when he shouted for order. He called and called again.

"As presiding officer of this meeting," said he, "I desire to give notice that if any person attempts to excite disorder here, I have the means at my command to throw the culprit over the fence, and it will be done." (Great roar of satisfaction.)

There was a moment's hush, as he proceeded with his introduction, and then the confusion broke loose again. What could people do? Lots of them were neither in nor out.

Ex-Senator White made no speech. He simply expressed his pride at having the honor to preside over the great gathering, and to introduce the champion of the most precious heritages of the American people, the Honorable W. J. Bryan of Nebraska. Mr. White was loudly applauded by those who could hear him.

It is estimated that at that moment, there were ten thousand people within the Velodrome. It could have held several thousand more. On the pit were many empty spaces. Suffice it to say that it was a vast multitude. Any big word would fit it.

As soon as many of them realized that they could not hear the speaker, they retreated, and the outgoing slowly went on till the end of the speech and long after.

BRYAN'S TALK.

THE SAME OLD STORY, AGAIN.

In spite of his hard campaigning and his apologies, Col. Bryan seemed in excellent speaking and fighting trim. His voice was vigorous and but slightly rough. Under ordinary circumstances, it would have reached every person in the house, but amid such a hurly-burly as was going on at the bridge, it was impossible for him to speak with his usual ease.

Bryan has grown somewhat portly since his former visit to Los Angeles and the bare spot on the larboard side of his head must plead guilty to expansion. Otherwise little change could be noted in his physique. His manner has not altered. He makes the same deliberate oratorical pauses between his sentences and parts of them, and uses many of the same phrases. He claps his hands together and bangs away generally as he used to. He is the same Bryan, the same master of the arts of the platform.

He began by declaring he esteemed it a great privilege to address such a magnificent audience in this progressive western city, and an honor to be presented by the gentleman who was the chairman of the committee which formally notified him of his nomination for the Presidency in 1896. He paid a handsome tribute to the "six years' splendid service of that gentleman in the Senate of the United States." "He served the people of this State; no corporation owned him," said Mr. Bryan. "He worked for your interest and earned your gratitude." And the speaker added that it was a shame that Mr. White was not returned to the Senate, where his services were of so great value.

Mr. Bryan expressed the regret that he was not in the full vigor of his strength, having already talked as long that day as any man ought to talk, and asked that the charity of his audience be broad enough to cover any failures of his. He should speak largely of other matters besides the money question, which he discussed so fully when he was here in 1897, he said. "But," he added, "I shall never speak in public without giving some attention to the money question."

CALLED DOWN.

At this point, there was so much commotion in those parts of the Velodrome farthest from the speaker, that Chairman White bade Mr. Bryan pause, and, stepping to the front, said: "If the various skaters will desist from their normal amusement, those who want to hear, can hear. People who won't keep quiet, will kindly get out, or they will be put out!"

Continuing his discussion of the money question, Mr. Bryan said: "As soon as President McKinley took his seat, he sent a commission to Europe to secure international bimetallism, if they could. By so doing he confessed that the gold standard is unsatisfactory. If the success of the Republican gold-standard platform had been a genuine victory, he would hardly have tried to get rid of the victory as soon as he was inaugurated. If anybody tells you that the gold standard is a blessing, tell them that the Republican party appropriated $100,000 and sent a commission to Europe to try to get rid of the blessing. [Cheers.]

"When England spanked that commission and sent it home, not a single Republican of prominence wept over the failure of those efforts to secure international bimetallism. When the Republican Congress met in 1899, the Republican leaders had a gold standard bill all ready to present. The little Republican leaders, who look up to Mark Hanna every day and say, 'Give us this day our daily opinions,' made their little speeches in behalf of this bill. [Shouts of glee.] Not a word was said expressing regret at the failure of international bimetallism. It was buried with no visible signs of grief.

"But after this Republican gold-standard bill had passed the House and Senate, the Senate was afraid to meet the issue of bimetallism. The Senate put on amendment declaring that the act should not stand in the way of bimetallism whenever other nations should be ready to unite for it.

THAT TAIL.

"My friends, if bimetallism is necessary, or desirable, then the gold standard is intolerable—and yet the Republican party, which passed a gold standard bill through the House, put a tail on it in the Senate—and then the Republican House swallowed the tail in order to get the bill. [Laughter and applause.]

"I assert that the Republican platform of 1896 was a fraud. That amendment in the Senate was a fraud. It was added because the Republicans were not ready to meet their opponents on this question. They have a great deal to say to you about honest money. Why do they not put a little of their honesty into their methods of getting money? [Cheers.]

"In 1896 they told us that we had money enough; yet today they are hanging their hopes on an unexpected increase in the money in circulation in the United States. They made no provision for an expanded currency to meet the needs of a growing population, yet today they ask the support of the American people because an increase in our gold supplies has resulted from the working of the new mines of the Klondike, and because a famine in Europe sent up the price of wheat.

"When the Secretary of the Treasury wants an excuse for favoring a few pet banks, then he begins to talk of a scarcity of money, and asks Congress for authority to issue more. We have had an increase of $20,000,000 in national bank notes in the past two months. Congress was not willing to increase the real money of the country, but let the banks increase their promises to pay real money.

"Republicans! within a week after your bill passed the House there was a panic in London, caused by British reverses in South Africa. The panic in London produced a panic in Wall street, and it was necessary for the Secretary of the Treasury to rush down and furnish money to Wall street to tide over the trouble. Republicans; you haven't reached the gold standard yet. You are going toward it as far as you can, but the silver dollar is still legal tender. When you reach the full gold standard there will be no dollar but the gold dollar, and no paper money but national bank notes. Every dollar of the national debt will be payable in gold. Republicans; if reverses in South Africa shake our financial system now, where will the gold standard be if England tackles a nation of her size? [Shouts.] No standard is safe that trembles like a leaf when a land-grabbing nation starts to gobble up a little republic. [Cheers.] As for us, we shall keep up our fight to open the mints to the free coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1 without the aid or consent of any other nation on earth. [The usual applause.]

MONIED SHYLOCKS.

At this juncture Mr. Bryan depicted the fearful conditions which he thought would exist if the country should eventually reach a condition where there was an absolute gold standard. All the money would be controlled by Shylocks who would oppress the people and harass the masses all for their own individual gain. All through his speech Mr. Bryan directed his remarks satirically at the Republican party as if convinced that republicans were vastly in the majority in his audience. He continued in the same style:

"Republicans! you may deny the Philippines any voice in the control of their government, but are you so far advanced as to say that the American people shall have no voice in the affairs of this nation? I think that there was a secret promise given the money interests in 1896 that if they would give their support in the campaign, the greenbacks would be retired and an issue of national bank notes substituted; a promise that the country should have an elastic currency with the banker at both ends of the elastic. Won't you be happy when all your affairs have been placed in the hands of the bankers and you don't have to think for yourselves?

"The ordinary man can either eat his cake or keep it. The banker occupies the unique position of being able to eat his cake and keep it too. Why? Because the dollar is placed above the man; because legislation is for the money interests and against the welfare of the masses. I don't believe that a man ever stood on a platform in this city and declared that a national debt was a blessing, and yet the currency bill recently signed by the President, guarantees a continuing debt. How can the currency rest on government bonds unless there are government bonds to rest it on? How can we have bonds without a national debt? How can we increase the currency without increasing the bond issues, and likewise, the national debt? All the while the people can pay the interest on the bonds and the bankers make the profit.

THE REPUBLICAN "FLOP."

"What is the definition of the Republican party? Today it is an association of athletes trained to turn somersaults in concert, whenever the leaders say flop. Abraham Lincoln signed a bill favoring the income tax. When a similar bill was presented to a recent Republican Congress, you flopped. Abraham Lincoln signed a bill making the greenback a part of the currency. When gold left us during the civil war the greenback saved the country. Now you Republicans flop over and retire the greenback and substitute the national bank note because your leaders promised the money power that it should be done. You used to favor silver, now you have flopped to gold. In 1891 McKinley arraigned Grover Cleveland because he favored the single gold standard, which contracted the currency and made money the master and all things else the servant. Then, Republicans, you hurrahed for McKinley. Now you hurrah for President McKinley when he follows in the steps of Grover Cleveland and makes money master and all things else the servant. Lincoln sent Colfax to the miners of the West to tell them that he intended to encourage mining; the more gold and silver there was produced the more money there would be to pay off the national debt. Abraham Lincoln evidently thought it wise to get rid of the debt. Now you Republicans seek to make the debt perpetual, and hurrah for the men who did it.

"Once all Republicans denounced the trusts. Now the party maintains that there are good and bad trusts. The Republican advises the people not to hurt the good trusts, and says there isn't time to dispose of the bad trusts. If you ask a Republican why a law is not passed that will regulate the trusts, he will say that there is already such a law on the statute book. If you point out a particular trust, he will say that the law does not apply to this particular case. It is a big law for argument, and a small law when you want to enforce it."

Illustrating his point Mr. Bryan told a story of the little boy who was watching his father dish out the turkey at Thanksgiving dinner. When his father started to pass a plate, the little boy said: "All that for grandma?"

"No," replied his father, "this is for you."

"Oh! what a little bit," said the urchin.

"That," said Mr. Bryan, "is the stand which the Republican party takes regarding the anti-trust laws. If the Republican party should destroy the trust, it would destroy the hen that lays the golden egg at campaign time.

"IN THE LONG RUN."

"Some people have asked me why I do not leave the money question alone and fight the trusts exclusively. I intend to fight the money trust as well as any other. I see no reason why I should leave the gold trust alone and fight the soap trust. I am equally against all trusts. [Applause.] John G. Mitchell gave out an interview some time ago in which he said that in the long run the trusts do no harm. But what of the man that can't stand a long run? What is to become of the man who becomes a bankrupt while the run is in progress? When you point out to a Republican that the Standard Oil Company last year declared a dividend of 80 per cent. on its nominal amount of stock, $80,000,000 in dividends on $100,000,000 of stock, he will say that the trust is all right in the long run.

"There are laws made to regulate these things, it is true. The law says to the man who steals a horse, you must go to the penitentiary! The law says to the man who forms an illegal trust, you must go to the penitentiary! But there is a marked difference in the operation of the law under a Republican administration. The man who steals the horse is followed by bloodhounds; the man who organizes the trust is given a banquet. The Republican party has revised the commandment so that it reads, thou shalt not steal on a small scale. [Laughter.]

"THE MAN-MADE MAN."

"You can destroy the trust if you want to. It is founded in the corporation and the corporation is a creature of the law. But there is a great difference between the God-made man and the man-made man. When God made the natural man, He made the tallest man but little taller than the shortest man. The corporation—the man-made man—is far different. The largest is a hundred, perhaps a thousand, and some times a million, times as large as the smallest. God made man with a reasonable limit to his life. The man-made man is destined to live through a long period of time; perhaps to have a perpetual existence. The God-made man has a soul; the man-made man is admitted to be soulless. Then the God-made man, with all his limitations, is asked to compete in the markets of the world with the man-made man, the powerful corporations, and the Republican party takes the side of the man-made man."

While Bryan had been speaking many people in the back of the hall made their way outside. The crowd continued to dwindle until there was quite a fringe of empty benches around the rear part of the audience. From this time on there was a steady stream of people leaving the several entrances, and the small boy took advantage of the disorganization and noise to disport himself by sliding down the incline of the track.

"ANTIDOTE FOR TRUSTS."

Bryan continued his speech by expounding his antidote for all the evils which he conjured up as the result of the trusts.

"Congress," said he, "has power to regulate interstate commerce. Let Congress pass a law declaring that before a corporation organized under the laws of one State can do business in another, it must obtain a license from the Federal government. Before granting the license, the government to exact certain guarantees that the laws of this land will be observed. Then, strangle all the water out of the stock. The farmer cannot water his farm products so as to inflate the market. Why should the corporations be allowed to inflate their stock? If this action should be taken there would be a flood for awhile, but it would go far toward destroying the private monopolies of the country. Second, make, as a condition upon which the Federal license is granted, that the corporation shall not have attempted in the past and will not attempt in the future, to control any business or any article of merchandise. I believe this law, if enacted, would kill all private monopolies now in existence and make such organizations impossible in future. The trust question must be handled without gloves, and the leading principle must be that no private corporation can extort from the American people."

Bryan declared that the American people were about to express themselves in no uncertain terms about this question, and by way of illustration told a story that created much laughter. A certain Quaker had been gathering hay under a lowering sky; had got the load on his wagon and was hurrying home. He ran into a rut and the load fell off. With much care he replaced the hay, only to have a similar experience a little farther down the road. He got the hay on again and had nearly reached the barn when it began to rain. Just as he was about to get it under cover, the wagon ran off a little bridge and left the hay soaking in the rain. The Quaker's wife, noting the calamity, came out of the house. "Sarah, Sarah," shouted the Quaker, "Go back, go back; I am about to express myself."

"I shall not talk longer on the subject of trusts," said Mr. Bryan; "if a man wants to see, he can see now; if he don't want to see, he must wait until he feels the trust. It is a new application of the old proverb to say that the wise man gets an idea in his head, the foolish man gets it in the neck."

ON IMPERIALISM.

I am specially anxious that the Republicans should consider the new questions that have arisen since 1896—imperialism and militarism—they are closely entwined, and will stand or fall together. If we have imperialism, we will have a large army; if we do not have imperialism, the Republicans will have no reason to ask that so large a standing army be forced on the American people."

Bryan reviewed at length the course of the administration in raising the number of the standing army, and declared that if it had not been for the Democratic, Populist and silver Republican members of the Senate, the people would now have a standing army of at least 100,000 fastened on their necks.

"With an imperialistic policy," said the silver orator, "we will never have a standing army less than we have today. If we are to cross seas and drag inferior peoples under our flag by force, we will need a large army to keep them from making faces at us while they are learning to swallow the Republican preparation known as benevolent assimilation. [Laughter.]

"There is a wide difference between expansion and imperialism. Expansion is an extension of territory without a change in the policy of government. Imperialism necessarily must change the policy of this nation. We expanded when we took into the Union Florida, Louisiana, Texas, California—these States were acquisitions in territory merely. We are not now expanding because we are not seeking landed area, but races for subjugation.

"The Republican party want an army with which to conquer those nations, but is unwilling that the Constitution should follow the flag into our new possessions. The action of the party on the Puerto Rican bill leaves no doubt but that it does not believe the Constitution applies in the newly-acquired territory."

Bryan then read a paragraph from the bill to show the powers of the President and Congress as defined therein.

"That statement," said he, "is tantamount to the declaration that the President is untrammeled by the Constitution of the land when he deals with people outside the forty-five States; it means that the President and Congress have absolute power over the territory outside the boundaries of the Union, and that neither the Constitution nor the Bill of Rights will be of any avail toward guaranteeing the native the rights of freedom and citizenship. There is no more tyrannical assertion in all history than is contained in the Puerto Rican Bill.

"There are two sources of government—force and consent. The former identifies the monarchy, the latter the republic. The American definition of government is one created by the people. The European definition is thirteen inches in diameter, round in form and fired out of a cannon. You must choose. We will take the American definition.

"Republicans, your imperialism tramples upon the constitutional rights of all those peoples brought under the flag. How long will that Constitution protect a people that is ready to trample on the rights of others?

"But three defenses have been advanced for imperialism: First, there is money in it; second, God is in it; third, we are in it and can't get out. The Republicans lay all the blame on Jehovah and then add that there is also profit in it. It is philanthropy and 5 per cent. Philanthropy chloroforms the conscience of the conqueror and 5 per cent. picks the pocket of the conquered. When philanthropy gets tired and lays down by the wayside, 5 per cent. goes right on without any qualms of conscience.

"England has already spent much money in trying to subjugate the Boers but she hasn't won yet, and God grant she never will win. [Continued cheering.] I myself am part English, part Irish and part Scotch, but all American, and with all my soul I sympathize with the Boers who are reviving the memory of Thermopylae by their unequal struggle. Yet there is no Republican organization that dares to say a word on behalf of the boers.

"It is impossible to estimate, how much a war of conquest will cost. It cannot be measured by money. The Republicans who defend imperialism put a money value on the blood spilled in the Philippine war. Republicans, I defy you to put a price on the life of one American boy killed in those islands. I would not put one American citizen on the auction block and sell him for all the trade of the Orient. Think of the American mother who would raise sons at so much per head that some corporation might exploit the Philippine Islands."

Here Mr. Bryan read a letter written by Abraham Lincoln to a mother who had lost five sons in the civil war, offering her the solace that her sons had died to save the country. "Think of the President," said Mr. Bryan, "writing to such a mother and saying that he hoped the syndicate would make enough money to make her glad."

At this point Mr. Bryan reviewed the course of trade and the development of commerce between this country and Europe. He read a letter written by Benjamin Franklin, who said that no trade would pay that was maintained by fleets and armies. The peaceful expansion of our trade was dwelt upon as contrasted with the colonial trade of European nations that were compelled to maintain fleets and armies.

"We can trade with these nations without owning them," said he. "Trade can be expanded by peaceful means. If we purchase trade at the cost of blood, we not only violate the laws of God, but we show our folly."

Mr. Bryan then compared the Philippine situations with the conditions that exist in India. He said that we could not use the islands as a home for our surplus population, and that it would be necessary to maintain a large army to keep the people in subjection. We would not go there to educate the natives, as then they might learn to read the Declaration of Independence; neither would we go there to Christianize the nation.

THE RELIGIOUS PHASE.

"A Republican said some time ago," continued Mr. Bryan, "that God had opened the door of the Philippine Islands, pushed us in, and then shut the door. There are Republicans who go up and down the country saying what God is going to do, when they do not know a thing about it; God would not let them know for fear they would forestall the market. [Laughter.] Convince a man that it is his religious duty to deny himself and he will do it; convince a man that it is his religious duty to take another man's money and he will do that; in the latter case, however, he is often more open to conviction."

Mr. Bryan then told the story of the darkey who said that when he prayed to God to send him a chicken he seldom got it, but when he prayed God to send him after a chicken he was more successful. The position of the Republican party, he said, was similar to the man that prayed he might be sent after the chicken.

"When Satan took the Savior up into a high mountain," continued the speaker, "and showed Him the territory round about, the Savior said, 'Get thee behind me, Satan.' When the Republican party was taken up into the mountain and shown the Philippine Islands, the party was overcome by the Spanish monarch's $2.50 apiece for the islands, and we went there we found down on the Filipinos and paid $20,000,000 for the right to sat down on the Filipinos. Now we seek to thrust our religion on God.

"It was wrong and sinful for the love of God, but for the love of man avarice is all right. It must be laid at the door of the Democratic party. If it was right for the Republican party to go for help in the time of need, is it right to pray God to send us bullets, while we feast the Filipinos? Let people a government of the people, by the people, for the people, or without representation?

"When the Republican party got the money and the resources of the Philippine Islands, they turned their backs on the Filipinos and left them to their destiny. Who says that the Filipinos can't get out. The Filipinos are in and don't want us to get out. I say the American flag was planted there and hauled down. I would rather see the flag were hauled down and planted there than that it should become the emblem of a despotism that would disgrace the world since the beginning of time.

"You say that the Filipinos are not capable of self-government. That is an argument that has been used against all ages as an excuse for oppressing the people. Henry Clay declared the Greeks incapable of self-government was to impeach the justice of the Almighty. To preach that doctrine is the damnable doctrine that people helpless for years until Hanna found time to step and threw his protecting arm around them.

WHAT TO DO.

"There are two courses open to the American people. The first is to do what France was right in doing—throw off the yoke of oppression, imitating the revolution and sailing from New York Harbor, in all the glory of the statue of Liberty enlightening the World; the other to send the statue back to France, tell her that we have gone into the liberty business and ask her to withdraw support from England and withdraw the statue of the Conqueror. You can do as you want to. I propose as an American citizen to say to the Filipinos, Let the statue of Liberty remain, and give to the Filipinos their independence in Manila Bay a statue of liberty enlightening the Orient. Let it be the American plant."

GIVEN THREE CHEERS.

Mr. Bryan sat down amid great applause. He had spoken for one hour and twenty minutes and appeared unexhausted. Senator White called for cheers for the man of the day, William Jennings Bryan. The cheers were given by such of the crowd as were more intent on getting out than the crush gathered about the platform trying to get a word with the orator. They were disappointed. A number of men appeared at the door to escort Mr. Bryan to his carriage, which was then driven rapidly away to the hotel.

It took the crowd a long time to get from the building, on account of the poor facilities for leaving the structure, but the crowd outside and naught but the walls of the great aphitheater, where the meeting had been an upturned mass.

ON THE OUTSIDE.

EPISODES OF THE EXODUS.

The carriage, with the four horses pointed to escort Mr. Bryan, was on the ground in advance of the orator's chariot. These gathered at the Main-street entrance to the velodrome and anxiously awaited the arrival of their chief. When they were nonplussed to find that the carriage, and its white horses, were there and around to the north entrance. By some rapid and undignified, foot racing, the gentlemen managed to reach the carriage. Mr. Bryan was prepared for the crowd outside, however, and was able to gain admission to the velodrome, demanded a speech, standing his head, the orator spoke a few minutes, standing upon the front seat. The sight of him failed to satisfy the people, and he was forced to depart without a speech.

A surging mob besieged the entrances. Chief of Police Glass, at the head, with sixty officers, managed to keep the masses of people within bounds. No serious accidents occurred. Fire Chief Strohm was on hand with the two chemical engines, hose carriage and ladder company to be ready in case of need.

The speaker of the evening commenced his talk when he saw that a great many had gone inside not only to get a glimpse of the famous visitor, and having satisfied their curiosity, they were content to leave. They were forced to take seats on the canvas roof were compelled to escape, as the air in the building was very close. One or two persons fainted in the crush.

"I've seen him, and I'm satisfied; I've got out," was the unanimous verdict of the hundreds who escaped during the first hour, and of the thousands who were unable to make their exit during the second hour.

The street-car service was remarkably good. The cars were arriving in regular order. The time of departure of the audience was such that must have prevailed had all waited until the finish.

Many people came to the meeting hoping to get a view of the orator as he departed. Few of them were gratified that the address was so long, and many a weary one in the outskirts deplored the long-winded speaking in the cold night air.

Two rival sets of peddlers were on the outside, distributing "literature devoted to their theories of government ownership" tract and a newspaper were handed out gratuitously.

BRYAN'S PLANS.

Mr. Bryan has had his plans changed again. All the remaining

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